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WEEKLY RETURN

OF

BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES

IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF

SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 1. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 5th January 1924 the births of 1093 living children, the deaths of 800 persons, and 1390 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 778. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23.8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 30.3, and the death-rate corrected 16.9.

The birth-rate for the week is 1.7 above that for the previous week, 0.6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0.9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 17.4 above that for the previous week, 21.8 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0.8 above that for the previous week, 1.2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1.5 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 22.3 in Paisley, 21.0 in Dundee and 19.9 in Glasgow, to 6.5 in Kirkcaldy, 8.9 in Clydebank, and 8.9 in Dunfermline. In Perth it was 17.4, in Motherwell and Wishaw 16.3, in Edinburgh 15.0, in Ayr 12.9, in Greenock 12.8, in Coatbridge 12.6, in Hamilton 11.5, in Kilmarnock 11.4, in Falkirk 10.6, and in Aberdeen 10.5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 80. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.7 per thousand. These deaths include 50 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 3 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 5 more, and from whooping-cough 2 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 5 fewer, and from diphtheria 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10. They are 3 more than in the previous week, and 3 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 177. They are 28 more than in the previous week, and 38 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 120, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 251. The former are 5 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 17 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39° 5, being 7° 2 above that for the previous week, but 0° 2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.56 inch

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No. 2. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 12th January 1924 the births of 1085 living children, the deaths of 829 persons, and 318 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 797. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate corrected 17·3.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·2 below that for the previous week, 0·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 3·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 23·4 below that for the previous week, 9·7 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·4 above that for the previous week, 1·3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 24·7 in Kirkcaldy, 20·7 in Dundee, and 20·1 in Glasgow, to 6·3 in Perth, 11·2 in Clydebank, and 11·4 in Kilmarnock. In Falkirk it was 19·8, in Greenock 16·6, in Motherwell and Wishaw 16·3, in Aberdeen 15·0, in Coatbridge 14·9, in Ayr 14·4, in Edinburgh 13·9, in Paisley 12·7, in Dunfermline 12·7, and in Hamilton 11·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 97. They are 17 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. These deaths include 53 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 25 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 9 more, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 8 more, from measles 3 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from scarlet fever are 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and 4 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 175. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week, but 22 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 120, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 267. The former are the same as in the previous week, and the latter are 16 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 30. They are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 34°·2, being 5°·3 below that for the previous week, and 5°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·22 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 12, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.															
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.								Rainfall in Inches.							
		Temperature.				Mean.				Minimum.				Maximum.			
		Violence.															
		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).															
		Influenza. (See Note.)															
		Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.															
		Principal Epidemic Diseases.															
		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).															
		Diphtheria.															
		Whooping-cough.															
		Scarlet Fever.															
		Measles.															
		Enteric Fever.															
		Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.															
		Infants under One Year of Age.															
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.															
		From All Causes.															
		Net Number.															
		Transferred In.															
		Transferred Out.															
		Number Registered.															
		Marriages.															
		Births.															
		Estimated Population.															
		(1)				(2)				(3)				(4)			
GLASGOW,		1,051,000				483				186				31			
EDINBURGH,		427,500				184				33				123			
DUNDEE,		169,600				78				15				70			
ABERDEEN,		159,900				83				26				50			
PAISLEY,		86,700				37				2				22			
GREENOCK,		81,700				34				10				26			
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,		70,300				30				5				19			
CLYDEBANK,		46,700				24				4				10			
COATBRIDGE,		45,500				24				10				12			
DUNFERMLINE		41,200				20				3				13			
KIRKCALDY,		40,200				17				7				18			
HAMILTON,		41,000				17				4				10			
KILMARNOCK,		36,800				10				1				6			
AYR,		36,300				15				4				10			
FALKIRK,		34,400				13				5				13			
PERTH,		33,200				16				4				0			
Total, 16 Towns, Jan. 12, 1924,		1085				318				829				66			
16 Towns, Jan. 5, 1924,		2,402,000				1093				800				52			
week ending, Jan. 13, 1923,		2,402,000				1221				339				66			
2,396,600		2,396,600				1221				339				709			

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No. 3. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 19th January 1924 the births of 1109 living children, the deaths of 837 persons, and 213 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 809. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·6, and the death-rate corrected 17·6.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·5 above that for the previous week, and 0·9 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 2·3 below that for the previous week, and 12·1 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·3 above that for the previous week, 0·8 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 27·4 in Falkirk, 21·1 in Paisley, and 19·2 in Greenock, to 10·2 in Dunfermline, 12·6 in Perth, and 14·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw. In Glasgow it was 18·5, in Kilmarnock 18·5, in Aberdeen 17·3, in Ayr 17·3, in Coatbridge 17·2, in Clydebank 16·8, in Edinburgh 16·4, in Dundee 16·3, in Kirkcaldy 15·6, and in Hamilton 15·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 86. They are 11 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. These deaths include 48 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 17 from whooping-cough, 9 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 3 fewer, from measles 5 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 8. They are 3 more than in the previous week, and 1 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 169. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week, but 2 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 138, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 247. The former are 18 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 20 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19. They are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 37°·9, being 3°·7 above that for the previous week, but 4°·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·26 inch.

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TOWNS.		TOWNS.																				
Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.				Deaths from All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).				Deaths from Influenza. (See Note.)				Deaths from Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.				Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.				
		Estimated Population.		Net Number.		Deaths.		Deaths.		Deaths.		Deaths.		Deaths.		Deaths.		Deaths.		Deaths.		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	
GLASGOW,	.	1,051,000	509	115	390	33	15	372	18·5	3·1	73	96	0	40	1	10	7	5	0	2	94	5
EDINBURGH,	.	427,500	156	41	141	13	6	134	16·4	0·2	12	53	0	0	2	0	9	0	0	1	24	8
DUNDEE,	.	169,600	95	10	58	6	1	53	16·3	0·3	6	21	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	1	43·3
ABERDEEN,	.	159,900	72	19	52	4	5	53	17·3	0·0	9	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	2	45·0
PAISLEY,	.	86,700	33	1	40	5	0	35	21·1	3·0	9	9	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	47·1
GREENOCK,	.	81,700	48	5	30	1	1	30	19·2	0·0	9	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	50·8
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	.	70,300	87	0	16	0	3	19	14·1	3·7	2	4	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	0
CLYDEBANK,	.	46,700	24	1	11	0	4	15	16·8	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
COATBRIDGE,	.	45,500	17	1	15	1	1	15	17·2	5·7	4	2	0	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	2	1
DUNFERMLINE,	.	41,200	16	1	10	3	1	8	10·2	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
KIRKCALDY,	.	40,200	16	3	12	1	1	12	15·6	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	...
HAMILTON,	.	41,000	28	3	11	1	2	12	15·3	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	...
KILMARNOCK,	.	36,800	12	5	12	0	1	13	18·5	1·4	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	...
AYR,	.	36,300	15	1	15	3	0	12	17·3	4·3	5	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	...
FALKIRK,	.	34,400	16	4	17	0	1	18	27·4	1·5	1	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	...
PERTH,	.	33,200	15	3	7	1	2	8	12·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	43·0
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	Jan. 19, 1924, Jan. 12, 1924, Jan. 20, 1923,	2,402,000	1109	213	837	72	44	809	17·6	1·9	138	247	0	48	4	17	9	8	0	8	169	19
		2,402,000	1085	318	829	66	34	797	17·3	2·1	120	267	0	53	1	25	7	11	0	5	175	30
		2,396,600	1150	204	800	51	41	790	17·2	1·2	153	259	9	15	7	18	8	7	*2	3	149	30
																						Total, 16 Towns.

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No. 4. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 26, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 26th January 1924 the births of 1106 living children, the deaths of 853 persons, and 242 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 821. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·3, and the death-rate corrected 17·9.

The birth-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, and 0·3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·7 above that for the previous week, 8·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but the same as that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·3 above that for the previous week, 0·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 20·8 in Glasgow, 20·3 in Dundee, and 18·6 in Greenock, to 8·9 in Dunfermline, 9·2 in Coatbridge, and 10·1 in Clydebank. In Falkirk it was 18·2, in Ayr 17·3, in Paisley 16·9, in Edinburgh 16·4, in Motherwell and Wishaw 16·3, in Perth 14·2, in Aberdeen 13·1, in Kilmarnock 12·8, in Hamilton 11·5, and in Kirkcaldy 10·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 77. They are 9 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. These deaths include 43 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 19 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, and from whooping-cough 2 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 3 fewer, from measles 5 fewer, and from diphtheria 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and 3 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 187. They are 18 more than in the previous week, and 13 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 155, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 262. The former are 17 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21. They are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·6, being 4°·7 above that for the previous week, but 2°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·09 inch.

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No. 5. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 2nd February 1924 the births of 1086 living children, the deaths of 820 persons, and 287 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 781. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·2, and the death-rate corrected 17·0.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·5 below that for the previous week, 0·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·9 above that for the previous week, 0·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·9 below that for the previous week, 0·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 2·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 21·8 in Coatbridge, 20·5 in Glasgow, and 20·0 in Dundee, to 4·6 in Falkirk, 4·7 in Perth, and 10·2 in Dunfermline. In Kirkcaldy it was 16·9, in Paisley 15·7, in Edinburgh 15·3, in Greenock 14·1, in Hamilton and in Kilmarnock 12·8, in Ayr 11·5, in Clydebank 11·2, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1, and in Aberdeen 10·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 95. They are 18 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. These deaths include 2 from enteric fever, 46 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 21 from whooping-cough, 10 from diphtheria, and 13 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 8 more, from diphtheria 6 more, from measles 3 more, from enteric fever and from whooping-cough each 2 more, but those from scarlet fever are 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 14. They are 9 more than in the previous week, and 8 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 196. They are 9 more than in the previous week, and 19 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 169, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 221. The former are 14 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 41 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21. They are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°·5, being 0°·9 above that for the previous week, but 3°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·35 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 2, 1924.

TOWNS.		Estimated Population.		Deaths.		Death-Rate per 1000 living.		Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.		Rainfall in Inches.		Temperature.		TOWNS.					
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
GLASGOW,	1,051,000	502	139	430	30	12	412	20·5	3·3	118	79	0	33	0	17	7	10	*2	6	126	8	49·6	35·0	43·0	0·16	2·6	GLASGOW.
EDINBURGH,	427,500	160	63	131	12	6	125	15·3	0·5	59	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	3	19	6	50·0	33·0	42·6	0·08	20·7	EDINBURGH.	
DUNDEE,	169,600	76	18	66	2	1	65	20·0	1·8	28	0	0	3	0	2	1	0	0	13	0	52·5	34·0	42·8	0·04	...	DUNDEE.	
ABERDEEN,	159,900	76	18	37	7	3	33	10·8	0·0	7	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	53·0	34·0	42·9	1·26	16·0	ABERDEEN.	
PAISLEY,	86,700	43	7	28	2	0	26	15·7	4·8	3	5	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	5	1	50·0	37·9	44·5	0·14	6·7	PAISLEY.	
GREENOCK,	31,700	33	5	23	2	1	22	14·1	1·3	2	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	56·0	36·4	44·9	0·48	...	GREENOCK.	
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	70,300	27	5	14	0	1	15	11·1	0·7	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.
CLYDEBANK,	46,700	22	1	8	0	2	10	11·2	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	...	...	...	...	...	CLYDEBANK.
COATBRIDGE,	45,500	25	2	18	0	1	19	21·8	4·6	2	5	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	...	...	...	...	...	COATBRIDGE.
DUNFERMLINE,	41,200	13	3	8	0	0	8	10·2	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	DUNFERMLINE.
KIRKCALDY,	40,200	15	6	14	2	1	13	16·9	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	KIRKCALDY.
HAMILTON,	41,000	15	3	10	2	2	10	12·8	2·6	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	HAMILTON.
KILMARNOCK,	36,800	21	2	11	2	0	9	12·8	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	KILMARNOCK.
AYR,	36,300	19	6	9	1	0	8	11·5	1·4	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	AYR.
FALKIRK,	34,400	26	6	5	2	0	3	4·6	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	FALKIRK.
PERTH,	33,200	13	3	8	5	0	3	4·7	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	PERTH.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	2,402,000	1086	287	820	69	30	781	17·0	2·1	169	221	2	46	3	21	10	13	*2	14	196	21	56·0	33·0	43·5	0·35	...	
	2,402,000	1106	242	853	67	35	821	17·9	1·7	155	262	0	43	6	19	4	5	0	5	187	21	56·2	28·0	42·6	1·09	...	
	2,396,600	1149	318	721	63	25	683	14·9	1·5	121	222	0	18	5	19	12	14	0	6	130	20	55·0	37·0	46·8	1·13	...	
																										Total, 16 Towns.	

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES
IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF
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No. 6. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 9th February 1924 the births of 1164 living children, the deaths of 832 persons, and 259 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 826. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 25·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate corrected 18·0.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·7 above that for the previous week, 1·4 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·6 below that for the previous week, and 1·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0·2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The death-rate for the week is 1·0 above that for the previous week, 0·5 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 5·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 21·3 in Falkirk, 20·1 in Glasgow, and 20·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 12·8 in Kilmarnock, 14·2 in Edinburgh, and 15·3 in Hamilton. In Coatbridge it was 19·5, in Paisley 18·7, in Ayr 18·7, in Dunfermline 17·8, in Perth 17·4, in Aberdeen 17·3, in Dundee 16·3, in Greenock 16·0, in Clydebank 15·7, and in Kirkcaldy 15·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 72. They are 23 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 34 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 23 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 2 more, but those from enteric fever are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 7 fewer, and from measles 12 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 15. They are 1 more than in the previous week, and 6 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 200. They are 4 more than in the previous week, and 16 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 170, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 251. The former are 1 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 30 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27. They are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·1, being 0°·6 above that for the previous week, and 3°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·32 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 9, 1924.

TOWNS.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.											
		Rainfall in Inches.						Temperature.					
		Mean.			Minimum.			Maximum.			Violence.		
		Maximum.	Mean.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Mean.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Mean.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Mean.	Minimum.
All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).													
Influenza. (See Note.)													
Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis													
Principal Epidemic Diseases.													
Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).													
Diphtheria.													
Whooping-cough.													
Scarlet Fever.													
Measles.													
Enteric Fever.													
Deaths from Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.													
Infants under One Year of Age.													
From Principal Epidemic Diseases.													
From All Causes.													
Deaths.													
Estimated Population.													
Transferred In.													
Transferred Out.													
Number Registered.													
Marriages.													
Births.													
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)
GLASGOW,	1,051,000	543	118	406	21	20	405	201	2·3	93	104	0	24
EDINBURGH,	427,500	179	59	127	15	4	116	14·2	0·7	10	49	0	0
DUNDEE,	169,600	81	11	50	0	3	53	16·3	0·3	13	21	1	2
ABERDEEN,	159,900	70	16	51	6	8	53	17·3	0·0	7	24	0	0
PAISLEY,	86,700	46	7	33	2	0	31	18·7	3·6	8	8	5	0
GREENOCK,	81,700	30	14	27	2	0	25	16·0	0·6	4	11	0	0
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	70,300	45	6	24	0	3	27	20·1	1·5	8	2	0	1
CLYDEBANK,	46,700	26	2	12	1	3	14	15·7	0·0	1	7	0	0
COATBRIDGE,	45,500	34	5	15	0	2	17	19·5	3·4	5	3	2	0
DUNFERMLINE	41,200	11	1	14	0	0	14	17·8	1·3	2	3	0	0
KIRKCALDY,	40,200	21	1	12	0	0	12	15·6	0·0	7	5	0	0
HAMILTON,	41,000	21	2	13	1	0	12	15·3	2·6	1	0	1	0
KILMARNOCK,	36,800	22	2	9	1	1	9	12·8	0·0	1	5	0	0
AYR,	36,300	13	5	14	2	1	13	18·7	2·9	4	3	0	0
FALKIRK,	34,400	14	5	14	1	1	14	21·3	0·0	4	1	0	0
PERTH,	33,200	8	5	11	1	1	11	17·4	1·6	2	4	0	0
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending,	2,402,000	1164	259	832	53	47	826	18·0	1·6	170	251	1	34
	2,402,000	1086	287	820	69	30	781	17·0	2·1	169	221	2	46
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No. 7. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 16th February 1924 the births of 1148 living children, the deaths of 826 persons, and 195 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 800. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 25·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·2, and the death-rate corrected 17·4.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·3 below that for the previous week, and 0·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·4 below that for the previous week, 1·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 3·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·6 below that for the previous week, and 0·2 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 2·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 32·1 in Coatbridge, 25·3 in Paisley, and 24·3 in Greenock, to 9·5 in Perth, 11·2 in Clydebank, and 11·4 in Kilmarnock. In Dundee it was 20·3, in Glasgow 19·0, in Dunfermline 19·0, in Kirkcaldy 18·2, in Motherwell and Wishaw 15·6, in Aberdeen 14·4, in Ayr 14·4, in Falkirk 13·7, in Hamilton 12·8, and in Edinburgh 11·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columnus 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 87. They are 15 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. These deaths include 52 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 23 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 18 more, while those from scarlet fever, whooping-cough, and diphtheria number the same, and those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 28. They are 13 more than in the previous week, and 17 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 182. They are 18 fewer than in the previous week, and 12 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 147, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 232. The former are 23 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 19 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 37. They are 10 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 36°·4, being 7°·7 below that for the previous week, and 2°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·25 inch.

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No. 8. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 23rd February 1924 the births of 1137 living children, the deaths of 941 persons, and 242 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 912. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24.7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5.3, and the death-rate corrected 19.9.

The birth-rate for the week is 0.3 below that for the previous week, and 0.6 below that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0.1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The marriage-rate for the week is 1.1 above that for the previous week, the same as the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1.1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 2.5 above that for the previous week, 2.4 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 4.5 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 34.4 in Coatbridge, 26.2 in Greenock, and 24.7 in Paisley, to 8.6 in Ayr, 14.2 in Perth, and 15.0 in Edinburgh. In Glasgow it was 22.5, in Kirkcaldy 20.8, in Kilmarnock 19.9, in Motherwell and Wishaw 19.3, in Dunfermline 19.0, in Clydebank 16.8, in Falkirk 16.7, in Hamilton 16.6, in Dundee 15.7 and in Aberdeen 15.7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 81. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.8 per thousand. These deaths include 30 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 31 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 8 more, from scarlet fever 5 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 3 more, while those from diphtheria number the same, and those from measles are 22 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 35. They are 7 more than in the previous week, and 16 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 224. They are 42 more than in the previous week, and 31 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 193, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 258. The former are 46 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 26 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23. They are 14 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°.9, being 3°.5 above that for the previous week, and 4°.5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.21 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 23, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.									
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.					Temperature.				
		Rainfall in Inches.			Mean.		Minimum.			Maximum.	
		Violence.			All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		Principal Epidemic Diseases.			(28)	
		Influenza. (See Note.)			Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.		Principal Epidemic Diseases.			(27)	
		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).			Diphtheria.		(14)			(24)	
		Whooping-cough.			Enteric Fever.		(15)			(25)	
		Scarlet Fever.			Measles.		(16)			(26)	
		Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.			Infants under One Year of Age.		(17)			(27)	
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.			From All Causes.		(18)			(28)	
		Net Number.			Transferred In.		(19)			(29)	
		Transferred Out.			Number Registered.		(20)			0.19	
		Marriages.			Births.		(21)			22.2	
		Estimated Population.			Deaths.		(22)			0.22	
		Death-Rate per 1000 living.			Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		(23)			13.9	
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.			Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.		(24)			0.22	
		From All Causes.			Deaths from All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		(25)			13.9	
TOWNS.		Death-Rate per 1000 living.			Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.			Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.			(28)
GLASGOW,		(2)			(8)			(18)			GLASGOW.
EDINBURGH,		(1)			(9)			(19)			EDINBURGH.
DUNDEE,		(2)			(10)			(20)			DUNDEE.
ABERDEEN,		(3)			(11)			(21)			ABERDEEN.
PAISLEY,		(4)			(12)			(22)			PAISLEY.
GREENOCK,		(5)			(13)			(23)			GREENOCK.
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,		(6)			(14)			(24)			MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.
CLYDEBANK,		(7)			(15)			(25)			CLYDEBANK.
COATBRIDGE,		(8)			(16)			(26)			COATBRIDGE.
DUNFERMLINE		(9)			(17)			(27)			DUNFERMLINE.
KIRKCALDY,		(10)			(18)			(28)			KIRKCALDY.
HAMILTON,		(11)			(19)			(29)			HAMILTON.
KILMARNOCK,		(12)			(20)			(21)			KILMARNOCK.
AYR,		(13)			(22)			(23)			AYR.
FALKIRK,		(14)			(24)			(25)			FALKIRK.
PERTH,		(15)			(26)			(27)			PERTH.
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending		1137			41			224			Total, 16 Towns.
2,402,000		242			18			28.0			21
2,402,000		1148			40			182			25
2,396,600		296			73			6			53

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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No. 9. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 1st March 1924 the births of 1055 living children, the deaths of 967 persons, and 306 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 949. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·7, and the death-rate corrected 20·7.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·7 below that for the previous week, 2·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·4 above that for the previous week, 1·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·8 above that for the previous week, 2·3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 5·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 33·3 in Coatbridge, 28·2 in Greenock, and 25·6 in Kilmarnock, to 6·3 in Perth, 10·2 in Dunfermline, and 11·5 in Ayr. In Glasgow it was 24·5, in Kirkcaldy 23·4, in Paisley 22·3, in Edinburgh 17·6, in Falkirk 16·7, in Motherwell and Wishaw 15·6, in Dundee 15·4, in Aberdeen 14·1, in Hamilton 14·0, and in Clydebank 12·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 98. They are 17 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. These deaths include 37 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 37 from whooping-cough, 11 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 7 more, from whooping-cough 6 more, from diphtheria 4 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, while those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 49. They are 14 more than in the previous week, and 23 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 270. They are 46 more than in the previous week, and 68 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 177, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 267. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 9 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29. They are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 36°·9, being 3°·0 below that for the previous week, and 3°·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·16 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 1, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.																										
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.						Rainfall in Inches.																				
		Temperature.			Mean.			Minimum.			Maximum.																	
		Violence.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Influenza. (See Note.)	Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).	Diphtheria.	Whooping-cough.	Scarlet Fever.	Measles.	Enteric Fever.	Deaths from															
Deaths.		Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Infants under One Year of Age.	From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	From All Causes.	Net Number.	Transferred In.	Transferred Out.	Number Registered.	Marriages.	Births.	Estimated Population.	Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths of														
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
GLASGOW,		1,051,000	514	148	496	24	20	492	24·5	3·0	97	116	0	21	1·28	7	4	0	35	164	13	45·9	16·4	36·4	0·06	32·8	GLASGOW.	
EDINBURGH,		427,500	159	59	158	15	1	144	17·6	0·6	23	57	0	1	0	2	0	0	5	34	3	44·0	27·0	36·1	0·07	22·3	EDINBURGH.	
DUNDEE,		169,600	80	16	48	2	4	50	15·4	0·3	10	21	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	5	46·5	27·0	35·6	0·15	...	DUNDEE.	
ABERDEEN,		159,900	71	20	42	4	5	43	14·1	0·3	6	15	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	46·0	27·0	36·6	0·46	20·2	ABERDEEN.	
PAISLEY,		86,700	42	7	41	5	1	37	22·3	3·0	6	6	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	10	1	48·9	29·2	38·8	0·17	33·1	PAISLEY.	
GREENOCK,		81,700	23	11	46	3	1	44	28·2	0·6	6	12	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	19	1	50·9	28·1	37·8	0·17	...	GREENOCK.	
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,		70,300	35	6	20	1	2	21	15·6	3·0	8	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	...	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	
CLYDEBANK,		46,700	20	3	9	0	2	11	12·3	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	...	CLYDEBANK.	
COATBRIDGE,		45,500	14	6	28	0	1	29	33·3	13·8	6	5	0	9	0	2	1	0	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	...	COATBRIDGE.	
DUNFERMLINE,		41,200	15	3	9	1	0	8	10·2	1·3	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	DUNFERMLINE.	
KIRKCALDY,		40,200	19	3	14	0	4	18	23·4	1·3	2	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	KIRKCALDY.	
HAMILTON,		41,000	16	3	9	1	3	11	14·0	3·8	3	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	...	HAMILTON.	
KILMARNOCK,		35,800	8	4	19	3	2	18	25·6	2·8	1	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	KILMARNOCK.	
AYR,		36,300	15	7	10	2	0	8	11·5	1·4	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	...	AYR.	
FALKIRK,		34,400	11	3	12	2	1	11	16·7	0·0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	...	FALKIRK.	
PERTH,		33,200	13	7	6	2	0	4	6·3	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	22·0	PERTH.	
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending,		2,402,000	1055	306	967	65	47	949	20·7	2·1	177	267	0	37	4	37	11	9	0	49	270	29	50·9	16·4	36·9	0·16	...	Total, 16 Towns.
Mar. 1, 1924, Feb. 23, 1924, Mar. 3, 1923,		2,402,000	1137	242	941	70	41	912	19·9	1·8	193	258	0	30	6	31	7	7	*1	35	224	23	54·0	28·0	39·9	0·21	...	
		2,396,600	1192	327	757	70	32	719	15·6	1·2	130	216	1	17	5	17	8	6	*1	4	148	16	48·3	34·8	40·5	1·72	...	

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No. 10. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 8th March 1924 the births of 1052 living children, the deaths of 1119 persons, and 373 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 1098. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·1, and the death-rate corrected 23·9.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·1 below that for the previous week, 1·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·4 above that for the previous week, 2·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 3·2 above that for the previous week, 4·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 9·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

The death-rate of the week is higher than those of all weeks subsequent to that ending 11th February 1922, when influenza was also epidemic.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 40·3 in Ayr, 31·0 in Coatbridge, and 30·4 in Falkirk, to 11·4 in Dunfermline, 12·3 in Clydebank, and 13·0 in Kirkcaldy. In Glasgow it was 29·0, in Kilmarnock 25·6, in Paisley 25·3, in Greenock 25·0, in Perth 20·5, in Edinburgh 19·1, in Motherwell and Wishaw 18·6, in Dundee 17·0, in Aberdeen 16·4, and in Hamilton 15·3.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 102. They are 4 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. These deaths include 40 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 45 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 8 more, from measles 3 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 2 fewer, and from diphtheria 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 53. They are 4 more than in the previous week, and 16 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 386. They are 116 more than in the previous week, and 161 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 212, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 323. The former are 35 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 56 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25. They are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 34°·6, being 2°·3 below that for the previous week, and 7°·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·13 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 8, 1924.

TOWNS.	Estimated Population.	Deaths.	Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.	From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.						(27)	(28) GLASGOW.													
								Rainfall in Inches.			Mean.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Violence.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Influenza. (See Note.)	Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).										
(1) GLASGOW,	(2) 1,051,000	(3) 500	(4) 193	(5) 20	(6) 20	(7) 20	(8) 20	(9) 583	(10) 29.0	(11) 3.6	(12) 147	(13) 0	(14) 32	(15) 3	(16) 34	(17) 3	(18) 1	(19) 0	(20) 37	(21) 244	(22) 11	(23) 45.2	(24) 22.8	(25) 34.1	(26) 0.09	(27) 20.0	(28) GLASGOW.	
EDINBURGH,	427,500	60	167	2	172	18	2	156	19.1	0.2	21	63	0	0	0	2	0	6	37	3	44.0	22.0	35.4	0.00	38.4	EDINBURGH.		
DUNDEE,	169,600	76	18	55	2	55	2	55	17.0	1.2	10	16	0	0	2	0	0	0	10	2	45.5	22.0	34.2	0.01	... DUNDEE.			
ABERDEEN,	159,900	58	17	48	3	5	5	50	16.4	0.0	6	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	3	48.0	21.0	34.5	0.07	31.5	ABERDEEN.	
PAISLEY,	86,700	34	11	43	2	1	1	42	25.3	4.2	9	12	0	0	5	1	1	0	2	14	1	47.2	20.9	35.1	0.12	28.1	PAISLEY.	
GREENOCK,	81,700	35	11	43	4	0	39	25.0	0.6	6	12	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	44.2	24.2	34.8	0.65	...	GREENOCK.		
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	70,300	30	11	25	0	0	25	18.6	1.5	7	8	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	...	...	...
CLYDEBANK,	46,700	26	4	7	0	4	11	12.3	1.1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	...	...	...
COATBRIDGE,	45,500	18	7	26	0	1	27	31.0	6.9	6	2	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	9	1
DUNFERMLINE	41,200	11	6	16	7	0	9	11.4	1.3	3	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
KIRKCALDY,	40,200	14	4	9	1	2	10	13.0	0.0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...
HAMILTON,	41,000	21	8	10	0	2	12	15.3	0.0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	...	...	...
KILMARNOCK,	36,800	15	6	18	0	0	18	25.6	1.4	6	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	0	...	...	...
AYR,	36,300	19	7	32	5	1	28	40.3	5.8	9	9	0	0	4	0	0	0	*1	2	9	0	0	0	0	...	...	...
FALKIRK,	34,400	13	7	20	1	1	20	30.4	1.5	7	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	...	...	...
PERTH,	33,200	15	3	12	0	1	13	20.5	0.0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	47.0	18.0	31.4	0.00	33.7	PERTH.		
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	2,402,000	1052	373	1119	63	42	1098	23.9	2.2	212	323	0	40	5	45	5	7	*1	53	386	25	48.0	18.0	34.6	0.13	...		
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	2,402,000	1055	306	967	65	47	949	20.7	2.1	177	267	0	37	4	37	11	9	0	49	270	29	50.9	16.4	36.9	0.16	...		
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	2,396,600	1163	332	685	65	40	660	14.4	0.9	117	202	0	12	2	8	9	9	*2	2	122	30	52.5	33.0	42.1	0.62	...		

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

WEEKLY RETURN

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No. 11. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 15th March 1924 the births of 1112 living children, the deaths of 1172 persons, and 254 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 1140. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·5, and the death-rate corrected 24·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·3 above that for the previous week, 0·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 2·6 below that for the previous week, 1·2 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate remains high; it is 0·9 above that for the previous week, 3·3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 10·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 49·4 in Coatbridge, 34·5 in Ayr, and 34·4 in Paisley, to 13·4 in Clydebank, 15·2 in Dunfermline, and 15·6 in Kirkcaldy. In Kilmarnock it was 32·7, in Falkirk 31·9, in Glasgow 27·9, in Greenock 23·7, in Hamilton 23·0, in Motherwell and Wishaw 22·3, in Dundee 19·4, in Aberdeen 19·3, in Edinburgh 19·2, and in Perth 18·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 96. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·1 per thousand. These deaths include 40 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 44 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles and from the diarrhoeas of childhood number the same, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, and from scarlet fever 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 84. They are 31 more than in the previous week, and 38 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 342. They are 44 fewer than in the previous week, but 49 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 227, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 349. The former are 15 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 26 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21. They are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·0, being 7°·4 above that for the previous week, and 0°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·02 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 15, 1924.

TOWNS		Estimated Population.		Deaths.		Death-Rate per 1000 living.		Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.		Deaths from Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Rainfall in Inches.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.		TOWNS,									
(1)	GLASGOW,	(2)	1,051,000	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
EDINBURGH,		174	55	427,500	180	23	0	157	19·2	0·4	31	54	0	0	2	0	1	0	6	25	3	60·0	34·0	43·6	0·00	15·5	GLASGOW.		
DUNDEE,		14	65	169,600	97	1	63	19·4	0·6	10	18	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	18	0	48·5	26·8	38·0	0·06	31·2	EDINBURGH.		
ABERDEEN,		17	63	159,900	64	8	4	59	19·3	0·7	8	24	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	11	2	52·0	33·0	42·4	0·06	21·9	ABERDEEN.		
PAISLEY,		6	58	86,700	45	2	57	34·4	6·6	14	18	0	3	0	8	0	0	0	6	16	1	58·2	30·1	43·6	0·01	17·0	PAISLEY.		
GREENOCK,		8	39	81,700	50	0	37	23·7	1·3	5	14	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	7	2	56·2	33·1	43·5	0·00	...	GREENOCK.		
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,		7	28	70,300	31	1	3	30	22·3	2·2	7	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	...	...	...	...	...
CLYDEBANK,		23	1	46,700	41	9	0	3	12	13·4	0·0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	...	...	...	...
COATBRIDGE,		4	46,500	26	4	41	1	3	43	49·4	10·3	10	6	0	7	0	1	0	1	0	0	6	17	0	...	...	...	...
DUNFERMLINE,		10	41,200	10	4	14	2	0	12	15·2	1·3	3	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	1	...	...	...	...
KIRKCALDY,		5	40,200	18	11	0	1	12	15·6	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	...	...	...	...	...
HAMILTON,		5	41,000	18	5	18	0	0	18	23·0	5·1	6	5	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	...	...	...	...	...
KILMARNOCK,		5	36,800	18	22	1	2	23	32·7	1·4	7	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	0	...	...	...	...	...
AYR,		6	36,300	17	6	23	1	2	24	34·5	2·9	7	9	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5	9	0	...	...	...	...	...
FALKIRK,		1	34,400	16	1	21	0	0	21	31·9	4·6	2	7	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	...	...	...	...	...
PERTH,		2	33,200	12	2	16	4	0	12	18·9	3·2	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	51·0	25·0	38·9	0·00	20·6	PERTH.	
Total, 16 Towns, Mar. 15, 1924, week ending,		2,402,000	1112	254	1172	87	55	1140	24·8	2·1	227	349	0	40	2	44	3	7	*2	84	342	21	60·0	25·0	42·0	0·02	...	Total, 16 Towns.	
Mar. 8, 1924,		2,402,000	1052	373	1119	63	42	1098	23·9	2·2	212	323	0	40	5	45	5	7	*1	53	386	25	48·0	18·0	34·6	0·13	...		
Mar. 17, 1923,		2,393,600	1140	260	691	57	34	668	14·5	1·0	87	215	0	17	4	16	6	3	*3	7	116	24	54·2	29·5	41·8	0·20	...		

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES
IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF
SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 12. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 22nd March 1924 the births of 1103 living children, the deaths of 1111 persons, and 213 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 1090. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·6, and the death-rate corrected 23·7.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·2 below that for the previous week, and 1·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·9 below that for the previous week, 2·2 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week remains high; it is 1·1 below that for the previous week, but 0·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 8·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 46·0 in Ayr, 35·0 in Falkirk, and 34·4 in Coatbridge, to 14·3 in Kirkcaldy, 15·7 in Clydebank, and 16·7 in Aberdeen. In Kilmarnock it was 34·1, in Paisley 31·4, in Glasgow 27·0, in Hamilton 25·5, in Motherwell and Wishaw 20·8, in Greenock 20·5, in Dunfermline 19·0, in Edinburgh 18·1, in Dundee 17·6, and in Perth 17·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 110. They are 14 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·4 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 39 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 54 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 10 more, from scarlet fever 4 more, from enteric fever 1 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from measles are 1 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 97. They are 13 more than in the previous week, and 35 more than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 324. They are 18 fewer than in the previous week, and 9 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 173, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 353. The former are 54 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 4 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23. They are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 36°·7, being 5°·3 below that for the previous week, and 5°·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·40 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 22, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.												
Deaths.	Estimated Population.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.						Rainfall in Inches.						
		Temperature.			Mean.			Violence.			All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).			
Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
	Infants under One Year of Age.	1,061,000	473	107	548	32	26	542	27·0	3·4	80	156	0	(14)
	From Principal Epidemic Diseases.													(15)
	From All Causes.													(16)
	Net Number.													(17)
	Transferred In.													(18)
	Transferred Out.													(19)
	Number Registered.													(20)
	Marriages.													(21)
	Births.													(22)
Glasgow,		1,061,000	473	107	548	32	26	542	27·0	3·4	80	156	0	(23)
EDINBURGH,		427,500	173	56	168	22	2	148	18·1	0·5	27	60	0	(24)
DUNDEE,		169,600	88	6	57	2	2	57	17·6	1·2	6	26	0	(25)
ABERDEEN,		159,900	63	14	49	1	3	51	16·7	0·3	6	20	0	(26)
PAISLEY,		86,700	41	1	52	1	1	52	31·4	2·4	9	15	0	(27)
GREENOCK,		81,700	49	6	32	0	0	32	20·5	1·9	8	8	0	(28)
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,														
CLYDEBANK,														
COATBRIDGE,														
DUNFERMLINE,														
KIRKCALDY,														
HAMILTON,														
KILMARNOCK,														
AYR,														
FALKIRK,														
PERTH,														
Total, 16 Towns, Mar. 22, 1924, week ending,	2,402,000	1103	213	1111	69	48	1090	23·7	2·4	173	353	1	39	6
	2,402,000	1112	254	1172	87	55	1140	24·8	2·1	227	349	0	40	*1
	2,396,600	1160	262	714	65	38	687	14·9	1·0	100	221	0	13	7
														16 Towns.
														Total, 16 Towns.

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By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 13. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 29, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 29th March 1924 the births of 1148 living children, the deaths of 1028 persons, and 259 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 999. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 25·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate corrected 21·7.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·0 above that for the previous week, 1·3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·0 above that for the previous week, but 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 2·0 below that for the previous week, and 2·4 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but is 6·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 35·6 in Paisley, 33·3 in Coatbridge, and 31·9 in Hamilton, to 12·2 in Falkirk, 13·7 in Aberdeen, and 16·5 in Dunfermline. In Ayr it was 28·8, in Kilmarnock 24·1, in Dundee 23·7, in Motherwell and Wishaw 23·0, in Glasgow 22·7, in Edinburgh 18·8, in Greenock 18·6, in Perth 17·4, in Kirkcaldy 16·9, and in Clydebank 16·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 93. They are 17 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·0 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 33 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 44 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 2 more, but those from enteric fever number the same, while those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 fewer, from measles 6 fewer and from whooping-cough 10 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 63. They are 34 fewer than in the previous week, and 15 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 271. They are 53 fewer than in the previous week, and 80 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 168, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 310. The former are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 43 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23. They are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 38°·5, being 1°·8 above that for the previous week, but 7°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·45 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 29, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.																											
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.								Rainfall in Inches.																			
		Mean.				Minimum.				Temperature.																			
		Maximum.				Violence.																							
		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).				Influenza. (See Note.)				Principal Epidemic Diseases.																			
		Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.				Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).				Diphtheria.																			
		Whooping-cough.				Scarlet Fever.				Measles.																			
		Enteric Fever.				Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.				Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.																			
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.				From All Causes.				Net Number.																			
		Transferred In.				Transferred Out.				Number Registered.																			
		Marriages.				Births.				Estimated Population.																			
(1)	GLASGOW,	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	
	EDINBURGH,	1,051,000	543	129	468	30	18	456	227	2.7	7.5	127	0	21	3	27	3	1	*2	27	125	9	44.7	31.2	39.1	0.39	11.8	GLASGOW.	
	DUNDEE,	427,500	179	51	165	16	5	154	18.8	0.6	19	68	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	13	28	4	41.0	30.0	37.3	0.74	11.6	EDINBURGH	
	ABERDEEN,	169,600	73	13	78	3	2	77	23.7	0.9	13	27	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	25	3	44.8	29.0	37.5	0.38	...	DUNDEE.	
	PAISLEY,	159,900	64	20	45	7	4	42	13.7	0.3	11	15	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	1	44.0	31.0	38.5	0.52	6.4	ABERDEEN.	
	GREENOCK,	86,700	38	9	60	2	1	59	35.6	4.2	15	14	0	0	7	0	0	0	6	18	1	46.2	30.9	39.3	0.43	10.0	PAISLEY.		
	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	81,700	45	7	29	1	1	29	18.6	1.3	3	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	2	46.6	32.4	39.1	0.41	...	GREENOCK.		
	CLYDEBANK,	70,300	46	7	27	1	5	31	23.0	0.0	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	COATBRIDGE,	46,700	24	1	14	0	1	15	16.8	0.0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	DUNFERMLINE,	45,500	27	2	29	1	1	29	33.3	3.4	7	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	11	0
	KIRKCALDY,	41,200	11	1	13	1	1	13	16.5	1.3	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	...	...	...	...	...
	HAMILTON,	40,200	14	5	13	1	1	13	16.9	0.0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...
	KILMARNOCK,	41,000	23	3	25	0	0	25	31.9	15.3	6	5	0	8	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	...	...	...	...	...
	AYR,	36,800	16	3	16	0	1	17	24.1	1.4	4	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	8	0	...	...	...	...	...
	FALKIRK,	36,300	12	5	22	2	0	20	28.8	0.0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	6	0	...	...	...	...	...
	PERTH,	34,400	17	1	11	3	0	8	12.2	3.0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Total, Mar. 29, 1924,	1148	259	1028	70	41	99	21.7	2.0	168	310	1	33	5	44	6	4	4	*2	63	271	23	46.6	29.0	38.5	0.45	...		
16 Towns, Mar. 22, 1924,	2,402,000	1103	213	1111	69	48	1090	23.7	2.4	173	353	1	39	6	54	4	6	6	*1	97	324	23	51.1	21.0	36.7	0.40	...		
Week ending, Mar. 31, 1923,	2,396,600	1054	304	721	65	31	687	14.9	0.9	112	215	0	8	5	19	6	5	5	*2	3	138	28	64.0	28.5	46.3	0.38	...		
Total, 16 Towns.																		Total, 16 Towns.											

Note:--Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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No. 14.

Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 5th April 1924 the births of 1027 living children, the deaths of 986 persons, and 315 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 957. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate corrected 20·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 2·6 below that for the previous week, 2·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 4·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·3 above that for the previous week, 1·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 7·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·9 below that for the previous week, and 2·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but is 6·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 35·7 in Hamilton, 28·9 in Falkirk, and 28·8 in Greenock, to 11·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw, 15·7 in Aberdeen, and 17·2 in Coatbridge. In Paisley it was 25·9, in Kilmarnock 22·7, in Perth 22·1, in Glasgow 21·9, in Clydebank 21·3, in Dundee 20·7, in Ayr 18·7, in Kirkcaldy 18·2, in Edinburgh 17·9, and in Dunfermline 17·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 85. They are 8 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. These deaths include 39 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 26 from whooping-cough, 9 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 6 more, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 4 more, and from diphtheria 3 more, but those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 18 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 60. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and 21 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 259. They are 12 fewer than in the previous week, and 53 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 152, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 295. The former are 16 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35. They are 12 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·8, being 2°·3 above that for the previous week, but 2°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·05 inch.

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No. 15. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 12th April 1924 the births of 1181 living children, the deaths of 894 persons, and 293 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 875. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 25·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·4, and the death-rate corrected 19·0.

The birth-rate for the week is 3·3 above that for the previous week, 1·9 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·5 below that for the previous week, and 2·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The death-rate for the week is 1·8 below that for the previous week, and 3·1 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 3·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 31·5 in Perth, 27·1 in Paisley, and 26·8 in Hamilton, to 15·4 in Greenock, 17·0 in Dundee, and 17·0 in Aberdeen. In Falkirk it was 24·3, in Kirkcaldy 23·4, in Motherwell and Wishaw 22·3, in Ayr 21·6, in Dunfermline 20·3, in Glasgow 18·7, in Kilmarnock 18·5, in Clydebank 17·9, in Edinburgh 17·6, and in Coatbridge 17·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 100. They are 15 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. These deaths include 37 from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, 41 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 10 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. No deaths from enteric fever were registered during the week. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 15 more, from scarlet fever 4 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, while those from measles are 2 fewer, and from diphtheria 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 40. They are 20 fewer than in the previous week, and 33 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 218. They are 41 fewer than in the previous week, and 67 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 151, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 257. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 38 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·9, being 0°·1 above that for the previous week, but 2°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·34 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 12, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.											
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.						Rainfall in Inches.					
		Temperature.			Mean.			Minimum.			Maximum.		
		Violence.											
		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).											
		Influenza. (See Note.)											
		Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.											
		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).											
		Diphtheria.											
		Whooping-cough.											
		Scarlet Fever.											
		Measles.											
		Enteric Fever.											
		Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.											
		Infants under One Year of Age.											
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.											
		From All Causes.											
		Net Number.											
		Transferred In.											
		Transferred Out.											
		Number Registered.											
		Marriages.											
		Births.											
		Estimated Population.											
		(1)			(2)			(3)			(4)		
		GLASGOW,			1,051,000			532			118		
		EDINBURGH,			427,630			198			155		
		DUNDEE,			169,600			78			34		
		ABERDEEN,			159,900			83			51		
		PAISLEY,			86,700			55			27		
		GREENOCK,			81,700			34			7		
		MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,			70,300			42			26		
		CLYDEBANK,			46,700			25			12		
		COATBRIDGE,			45,500			21			15		
		DUNFERMLINE			41,200			15			18		
		KIRKCALDY,			40,200			18			11		
		HAMILTON,			41,000			26			21		
		KILMARNOCK,			36,800			13			15		
		AYR,			36,300			8			18		
		FALKIRK,			34,400			23			7		
		PERTH,			33,200			10			2		
		Total, (Apr. 12, 1924,			2,402,000			1181			894		
		16 Towns, (Apr. 5, 1924,			2,402,000			315			986		
		Week ending, (Apr. 14, 1923,			2,396,600			1174			429		
		16 Towns.			47			705			4		
		Total, 16 Towns.			48			257			7		
		Total, 16 Towns.			40			218			32		
		Total, 16 Towns.			40			580			25		
		Total, 16 Towns.			34			218			32		
		Total, 16 Towns.			0.34			0.34			0.34		
		Total, 16 Towns.			0.05			0.05			0.05		
		Total, 16 Towns.			0.49			1.49			1.49		

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Note :--Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.
 * Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

WEEKLY RETURN

OF

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SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 16.

Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 19th April 1924 the births of 956 living children, the deaths of 819 persons, and 293 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 779. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20.8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6.4, and the death-rate corrected 17.0.

The birth-rate for the week is 4.9 below that for the previous week, 3.6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 6.2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 0.1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1.5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 2.0 below that for the previous week, 3.5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 3.0 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 26.4 in Coatbridge, 22.8 in Falkirk, and 21.3 in Kilmarnock, to 10.2 in Dunfermline, 11.2 in Clydebank, and 12.6 in Motherwell and Wishaw. In Perth it was 20.5, in Glasgow 18.3, in Kirkcaldy 18.2, in Paisley 18.1, in Hamilton 17.9, in Dundee 16.3, in Ayr 15.8, in Greenock 15.4, in Edinburgh 15.3, and in Aberdeen 13.1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 80. They are 20 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.7 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 28 from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, 35 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 9 fewer, from whooping-cough 6 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 fewer, while those from scarlet fever number the same.

Deaths from influenza numbered 42. They are 2 more than in the previous week, but 12 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 149. They are 69 fewer than in the previous week, and 100 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 125, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 243. The former are 26 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 14 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°.0, being 2°.1 above that for the previous week, and 0°.3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.56 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 19, 1924.

TOWNS.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.												Rainfall in Inches.														
		Temperature.						Mean.						Minimum.						Maximum.								
		Violence.																										
Deaths.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)
Death-Rate per 1000 living.	From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	1,051,000	407	112	387	35	15	367	183	2·4	62	112	0	15	5	22	1	6	0	13	64	8	54·0	30·2	42·2	0·87	39·4	
Estimated Population.	From All Causes.	427,500	152	60	144	23	4	125	153	0·7	17	48	0	1	1	3	0	1	0	10	23	4	56·0	39·0	43·2	0·38	44·9	
TOWNS.	Net Number.	169,600	81	30	55	5	3	53	163	0·6	6	20	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	14	2	56·5	29·2	42·4	0·13	DUNDEE.	
	Transferred In.	159,900	70	25	48	11	3	40	131	0·3	6	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	1	56·0	31·0	43·2	0·32	46·7	
	Transferred Out.	86,700	36	9	30	0	0	30	181	1·8	5	8	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	4	2	55·0	31·1	43·7	0·87	37·9	
	Number Registered.	81,700	44	12	24	0	0	24	154	3·2	2	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	56·4	33·1	42·8	0·85	...	
	Marriages.	70,300	36	8	16	0	1	17	12·6	2·2	3	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	...	...	...	...
	Births.	46,700	19	6	8	0	2	10	11·2	4·5	3	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...
		45,500	16	4	21	0	2	23	26·4	0·0	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	8	0	...	...	...	...
		41,200	24	5	9	1	0	8	10·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	...	...	...	...
		40,200	14	1	11	0	3	14	18·2	2·6	5	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	...	...	...	...
		41,000	13	2	10	0	4	14	17·9	2·6	3	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	...	...	...	...
		36,800	5	3	11	0	4	15	21·3	0·0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	1	...	...	...	...
		36,300	15	9	14	3	0	11	15·8	2·9	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	...	...	...	...
		34,400	12	6	15	3	3	15	22·8	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2	...	...	...	...
		33,200	12	2	16	3	0	13	20·5	1·6	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	57·0	29·0	43·4	0·52	44·9	
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	Apr. 19, 1924,	2,402,000	956	293	819	84	44	779	17·0	1·7	125	243	0	28	7	35	2	8	0	42	149	25	57·0	29·0	43·0	0·56		
	Apr. 12, 1924,	2,402,000	118	293	894	67	48	875	19·0	2·2	151	257	0	37	7	41	5	10	*3	40	218	32	58·0	25·0	40·9	0·34		
	Apr. 21, 1923,	2,398,600	1242	365	648	43	39	644	14·0	1·1	103	181	0	11	6	21	6	7	*1	7	108	23	56·2	31·0	42·7	0·03	16 Towns.	

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No. 17. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 26th April 1924 the births of 1177 living children, the deaths of 813 persons, and 562 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 770. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 25·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 12·2, and the death-rate corrected 16·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 4·8 above that for the previous week, 2·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 5·8 above that for the previous week, 5·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·2 below that for the previous week, 2·1 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 2·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 28·9 in Falkirk, 25·5 in Hamilton, and 19·5 in Kirkcaldy, to 8·9 in Clydebank, 10·4 in Motherwell and Wishaw, and 11·5 in Ayr. In Edinburgh it was 19·1, in Dunfermline 17·8, in Dundee 17·6, in Kilmarnock 17·0, in Aberdeen 16·4, in Glasgow 16·2, in Greenock 16·1, in Coatbridge 16·1, in Paisley 14·5, and in Perth 12·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 70. They are 10 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 29 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 24 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 3 more, from measles 1 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 4 fewer, and those from whooping-cough 11 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 21. They are 21 fewer than in the previous week, and 26 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 141. They are 8 fewer than in the previous week, and 68 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 140, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 234. The former are 15 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 9 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·0, being 5°·0 above that for the previous week, and 6°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·82 inch.

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No. 18.

Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 3, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 3rd May 1924 the births of 1176 living children, the deaths of 745 persons, and 594 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 740. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 25.6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 12.9, and the death-rate corrected 16.1.

The birth-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 1.6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1.1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0.7 above that for the previous week, 4.6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0.7 below that for the previous week, and 1.5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but is 2.1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 23.7 in Perth, 19.5 in Kirkcaldy, and 19.4 in Dundee, to 8.9 in Motherwell and Wishaw, 10.1 in Clydebank, and 10.6 in Falkirk. In Aberdeen it was 17.7, in Glasgow and in Hamilton 16.6, in Dunfermline 16.5, in Paisley 15.7, in Kilmarnock 15.6, in Edinburgh 15.4, in Greenock 14.7, in Ayr 12.9, and in Coatbridge 11.5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 82. They are 12 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.8 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 35 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 28 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 13 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 6 more, from whooping-cough 4 more, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, and from enteric fever and diphtheria each 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 10. They are 11 fewer than in the previous week, and 24 fewer than the mean of those for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 140. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and 29 fewer than the mean of those for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 149, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 205. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 29 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26. They are 8 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°.7, being 3°.3 below that for the previous week, and 5°.4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.86 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 3, 1924.

TOWNS.		Temperature.										Hours of Bright Sunshine.									
		Rainfall in Inches.					Mean.					Deaths from					All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).				
												Principal Epidemic Diseases.					Principal Epidemic Diseases.				
							Violence.					Maximum.					Minimum.				
		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).					Influenza. (See Note.)					Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.					Measles.				
		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).					Diphtheria.					Whooping-cough.					Scarlet Fever.				
		Enteric Fever.					Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.					Infants under One Year of Age.					From Principal Epidemic Diseases.				
		From All Causes.					Net Number.					Transferred In.					Deaths per 1000 living.				
		Transferred Out.					Number Registered.					Marriages.					Deaths.				
		Births.					Estimated Population.					Deaths of Non-Residents					Deaths from				
		(1)					(2)					(3)					(4)				
		GLASGOW,					1,051,000					574					262				
		EDINBURGH,					427,500					138					17				
		DUNDEE,					169,600					29					2				
		ABERDEEN,					159,900					43					55				
		PAISLEY,					86,700					32					12				
		GREENOCK,					81,700					35					15				
		MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,					70,300					35					10				
		CLYDEBANK,					46,700					20					8				
		COATBRIDGE,					45,500					23					9				
		DUNFERMLINE,					41,200					23					5				
		KIRKCALDY,					40,200					26					9				
		HAMILTON,					41,000					13					6				
		KILMARNOCK,					36,800					10					8				
		AYR,					36,300					14					11				
		FALKIRK,					34,400					25					14				
		PERTH,					33,200					16					18				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					745				
		Apr. 26, 1924,					2,402,000					562					813				
		May 5, 1923,					2,402,000					177					556				
		May 5, 1923,					2,396,600					1225					663				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					57					740				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					52				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				
		Total, 16 Towns, week ending,					May 3, 1924,					1176					10				

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No. 19.

Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 10th May 1924 the births of 1176 living children, the deaths of 713 persons, and 124 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 680. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 25·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·7, and the death-rate corrected 14·8.

The birth-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 1·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 10·2 below that for the previous week, 7·8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 1·3 below that for the previous week, 1·8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 25·2 in Perth, 20·4 in Hamilton, and 20·1 in Ayr, to 6·7 in Clydebank, 7·6 in Falkirk, and 10·1 in Aberdeen. In Kilmarnock it was 17·0, in Coatbridge 16·1, in Glasgow 15·9, in Edinburgh 15·5, in Greenock 15·4, in Dundee 13·9, in Paisley 11·5, in Dunfermline 11·4, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1, and in Kirkcaldy 10·4.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 73. They are 9 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 27 from measles, 9 from scarlet fever, 20 from whooping-cough, 9 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 8 more, and from diphtheria 5 more, but those from enteric fever are 1 fewer, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 5 fewer, and from measles and from whooping-cough each 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 12. They are 2 more than in the previous week, but 12 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 106. They are 34 fewer than in the previous week, and 37 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 105, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 187. The former are 44 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 18 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·9, being 1°·8 below that for the previous week, and 1°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·99 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 10, 1924.

TOWNS		Estimated Population.		Deaths.		Death-Rate per 1000 living.		Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Principal Epidemic Diseases.		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		Influenza. (See Note.)		Violence.		Mean.		Temperature.		Rainfall in Inches.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.		TOWNS.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)		
GLASGOW,	1,051,000	573	64	330	30	19	319	15·9	1·6	55	70	0	6	3	16	4	4	0	7	55	7	53·6	33·9	43·5	1·61	20·0	GLASGOW.				
EDINBURGH,	427,500	193	24	134	12	5	127	15·5	1·2	17	43	0	1	2	2	2	3	0	2	16	6	54·0	34·0	42·1	2·10	16·4	EDINBURGH.				
DUNDEE,	169,600	79	8	46	3	2	45	13·9	0·9	4	15	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	6	1	55·3	30·5	41·9	2·02	...	DUNDEE.				
ABERDEEN,	159,900	47	5	35	4	0	31	10·1	1·3	7	8	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	2	54·0	31·0	41·4	2·55	20·7	ABERDEEN.				
PAISLEY,	86,700	34	0	21	2	0	19	11·5	0·6	5	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	54·1	33·0	44·3	1·48	28·1	PAISLEY.				
GREENOCK,	81,700	45	4	26	2	0	24	15·4	3·2	2	7	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	55·0	35·0	43·5	1·74	...	GREENOCK.					
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	70,300	37	3	15	1	1	15	11·1	1·5	1	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.			
CLYDEBANK,	46,700	19	0	3	0	3	6	6·7	1·1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	CLYDEBANK.			
COATBRIDGE,	45,500	17	2	13	1	2	14	16·1	2·3	0	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	COATBRIDGE.			
DUNFERMLINE	41,200	24	2	13	4	0	9	11·4	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	DUNFERMLINE.			
KIRKCALDY,	40,200	17	2	10	2	0	8	10·4	1·3	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	KIRKCALDY.			
HAMILTON,	41,000	18	3	14	0	2	16	20·4	8·9	3	4	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	HAMILTON.			
KILMARNOCK,	36,800	18	2	11	1	2	12	17·0	1·4	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	KILMARNOCK.			
AYR,	36,300	22	0	19	6	1	14	20·1	1·4	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	AYR.			
FALKIRK,	34,400	15	4	5	0	0	5	7·6	1·5	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	FALKIRK.			
PERTH,	33,200	13	1	18	3	1	16	25·2	1·6	4	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	56·0	34·0	43·7	2·44	19·4	PERTH.				
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending,	2,402,000	1176	124	713	71	38	680	14·8	1·6	105	187	0	27	9	20	9	8	0	12	106	24	56·0	30·5	42·9	1·99	...					
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending,	2,402,000	1176	594	745	57	52	740	16·1	1·8	149	205	1	35	1	28	4	13	*2	10	140	26	58·7	35·0	44·7	0·86	...					
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending,	2,396,600	1169	150	682	71	31	642	14·0	1·1	119	185	0	14	1	20	4	11	*2	3	120	19	60·0	31·0	44·8	0·95	...					
Total, 16 Towns.																															

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.
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No. 20.

Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 17, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 17th May 1924 the births of 1097 living children, the deaths of 732 persons, and 121 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 704. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·6, and the death-rate corrected 15·3.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·7 below that for the previous week, 1·7 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·1 below that for the previous week, 6·7 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·5 above that for the previous week, and 1·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 22·1 in Perth, 21·3 in Kilmarnock, and 20·1 in Ayr, to 9·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw, 10·2 in Dunfermline, and 10·3 in Coatbridge. In Aberdeen it was 16·4, in Edinburgh 15·9, in Glasgow 15·7, in Paisley 15·7, in Dundee 14·2, in Hamilton 14·0, in Falkirk 13·7, in Greenock 13·4, in Clydebank 13·4, and in Kirkcaldy 13·0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 80. They are 7 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 37 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 27 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 10 more, and from whooping-cough 7 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 4 fewer, and from scarlet fever 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 8. They are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and 6 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 91. They are 15 fewer than in the previous week, and 38 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 105, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 201. The former are the same as in the previous week, and the latter are 14 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 50°·7, being 7°·8 above that for the previous week, and 6°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·34 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 17, 1924.

TOWNS.		Estimated Population.		Deaths.		Death-Rate per 1000 living.		Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Deaths from Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.		Influenza. (See Note.)		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		Violence.		Mean.		Temperature.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.		Rainfall in Inches.		TOWNS.													
Transferred In.		Transferred Out.		Number Registered.		Marriages.		Births.		Net Number.		From All Causes.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).		Diphtheria.		Whooping-cough.		Scarlet Fever.		Measles.		Enteric Fever.		Deaths from Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.		Influenza. (See Note.)		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		Violence.		Mean.		Temperature.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.		Rainfall in Inches.		TOWNS.	
(1)	GLASGOW,	(2)	1,051,000	(5)	523	(4)	52	(6)	326	(7)	26	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	GLASGOW.												
EDINBURGH,	.	427,500	168	26	143	16	3	46	4	46	4	46	15·9	13·0	13	50	72	0	13	3	16	1	3	*3	4	14	4	60·0	42·0	51·0	0·24	45·9	EDINBURGH.												
DUNDEE,	.	169,600	69	7	46	4	4	50	3	50	3	50	16·4	12	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	62·9	38·7	50·6	0·21	41·9	DUNDEE.												
ABERDEEN,	.	159,900	62	15	50	5	5	24	0	26	0	26	15·7	14	0	0	11	20	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	62·0	39·0	49·9	0·75	42·2	ABERDEEN.												
PAISLEY,	.	86,700	45	2	24	0	2	22	2	21	1	21	13·4	8·2	6	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	60·2	42·5	51·6	0·19	47·1	PAISLEY.													
GREENOCK,	.	31,700	31	2	22	2	1	21	13·4	21	13·4	21	13·4	8·2	6	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	57·6	42·1	50·2	0·44	44·4	GREENOCK.													
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	.	70,300	42	4	11	0	2	13	9·7	13	9·7	13	9·7	0·7	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	...	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.													
CLYDEBANK,	.	46,700	14	3	10	1	3	12	13·4	12	13·4	12	13·4	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	...	...	CLYDEBANK.												
COATBRIDGE,	.	45,500	31	2	9	0	0	9	10·3	9	10·3	9	10·3	2·3	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	COATBRIDGE.												
DUNFERMLINE	.	41,200	12	1	12	1	4	0	8	10·2	8	10·2	8	10·2	2·5	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	DUNFERMLINE.											
KIRKCALDY,	.	40,200	10	2	11	1	0	10	13·0	10	13·0	10	13·0	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	...	...	KIRKCALDY.												
HAMILTON,	.	41,000	24	1	10	0	1	11	14·0	11	14·0	11	14·0	3·8	1	7	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	...	...	HAMILTON.											
KILMARNOCK,	.	36,800	13	1	14	1	2	15	21·3	15	21·3	15	21·3	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	...	...	KILMARNOCK.											
AYR,	.	36,300	24	3	17	3	0	14	20·1	14	20·1	14	20·1	2·9	2	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	AYR.												
FALKIRK,	.	34,400	14	0	9	1	1	9	13·7	9	13·7	9	13·7	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	...	...	FALKIRK.											
PERTH,	.	33,200	15	0	18	4	0	14	22·1	14	22·1	14	22·1	1·6	1	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	62·0	37·0	50·8	0·15	52·1	PERTH.											
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 17, 1924,		2,402,000	1097	121	732	66	38	704	15·3	1·7	105	201	0	37	4	27	5	7	*6	8	91	18	62·9	37·0	50·7	0·34	...	Total, 16 Towns.																	
May 10, 1924,		2,402,000	1176	124	713	71	38	680	14·8	1·6	105	187	0	27	9	20	9	8	0	12	106	24	56·0	30·5	42·9	1·99	...																		
May 19, 1924,		2,396,600	1217	130	653	55	49	647	14·1	0·9	102	186	0	11	6	14	1	10	*1	4	108	27	59·0	34·0	44·3	0·82	...																		

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

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No. 21. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 24, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 24th May 1924 the births of 1068 living children, the deaths of 626 persons, and 128 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 588. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·8, and the death-rate corrected 12·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·7 below that for the previous week, 1·8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·2 above that for the previous week, and the same as that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 3·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The death-rate for the week is 2·5 below that for the previous week, 2·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 18·7 in Ayr, 16·7 in Falkirk, and 15·8 in Perth, to 7·7 in Hamilton, 8·3 in Greenock, and 8·5 in Kilmarnock. In Aberdeen it was 15·0, in Coatbridge 14·9, in Paisley 14·5, in Dunfermline 14·0, in Dundee 13·9, in Glasgow 12·8, in Clydebank 12·3, in Edinburgh 11·9, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·9, and in Kirkcaldy 11·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 63. They are 17 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·4 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 25 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 20 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 7 fewer, and from measles 12 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11. They are 3 more than in the previous week, and 1 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

The returns for the week show 8 deaths from encephalitis lethargica in these towns. Last week there were 5; in the first four months of the year there were 7 in all.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 84. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and 28 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 85, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 184. The former are 20 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 17 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19. They are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 51°·0, being 0°·3 above that for the previous week, and 4°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·89 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 24, 1924.

TOWNS.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.												
		Rainfall in Inches.						Temperature.						
		Mean.			Minimum.			Maximum.						
		Violence.												
All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).			(28)	(29)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	
Influenza. (See Note.)			GLASGOW.	EDINBURGH.	DUNDEE.	ABERDEEN.	PAISLEY.	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.
Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.			EDINBURGH.	DUNDEE.	ABERDEEN.	PAISLEY.	GREENOCK.	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.
Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).			EDINBURGH.	DUNDEE.	ABERDEEN.	PAISLEY.	GREENOCK.	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.
Diphtheria.			DUNDEE.	ABERDEEN.	PAISLEY.	GREENOCK.	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.	AYR.
Whooping-cough.			ABERDEEN.	PAISLEY.	GREENOCK.	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.	AYR.	FALKIRK.
Scarlet Fever.			PAISLEY.	GREENOCK.	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.	AYR.	FALKIRK.	PERTH.
Measles.			GREENOCK.	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.	AYR.	FALKIRK.	PERTH.	Total, 16 Towns, week ending,
Enteric Fever.			MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	COATBRIDGE.	DUNFERMLINE.	KIRKCALDY.	HAMILTON.	KILMARNOCK.	AYR.	FALKIRK.	PERTH.	Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	Total, 16 Towns.
Deaths from Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.			AYR.	FALKIRK.	PERTH.	Total, 16 Towns.								
Infants under One Year of Age.														
From Principal Epidemic Diseases.														
From All Causes.														
Deaths.														
Death-Rate per 1000 living.														
Estimated Population.														
TOWNS.														

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No. 22. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 31, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 31st May 1924 the births of 1064 living children, the deaths of 621 persons, and 114 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 598. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·5, and the death-rate corrected 13·0.

The birth-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 1·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 3·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·3 below that for the previous week, 0·2 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·2 above that for the previous week, but is 1·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 17·3 in Aberdeen, 16·1 in Coatbridge, and 15·8 in Ayr, to 5·1 in Dunfermline, 7·8 in Clydebank, and 9·9 in Kilmarnock. In Paisley it was 15·1, in Glasgow 13·7, in Hamilton 12·8, in Motherwell and Wishaw 12·6, in Perth 12·6, in Falkirk 12·2, in Dundee 12·0, in Edinburgh 11·6, in Kirkcaldy 10·4, and in Greenock 10·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 54. They are 9 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 19 from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 6 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 5 fewer, and from measles 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11. They are the same as in the previous week, but 1 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 10. They are 2 more than in the previous week, and 5 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 79. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and 15 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 93, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 155. The former are 8 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 29 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25. They are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 51°·0, being the same as that for the previous week, but 0°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·10 inch.

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No. 23. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 7, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 7th June 1924 the births of 1106 living children, the deaths of 632 persons, and 454 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 611. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24.1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9.9, and the death-rate corrected 13.3.

The birth-rate for the week is 0.9 above that for the previous week, 0.7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1.4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 7.4 above that for the previous week, 7.3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 5.4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0.3 above that for the previous week, 0.4 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.8 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 17.3 in Ayr, 17.2 in Coatbridge, and 15.6 in Kirkcaldy and in Kilmarnock, to 7.6 in Falkirk, 7.9 in Perth, and 8.9 in Hamilton. In Aberdeen it was 14.7, in Glasgow 14.5, in Edinburgh 13.0, in Dunfermline 12.7, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11.9, in Paisley 11.5, in Clydebank 11.2, in Dundee 9.9, and in Greenock 9.0.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 44. They are 10 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.0 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 10 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 18 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, from scarlet fever 3 fewer, and from measles 9 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11. They number the same as in the previous week, but are 1 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 10, this being the same number as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 91. They are 12 more than in the previous week, and 6 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 98, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 178. The former are 5 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 23 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°.7, being 1°.3 below that for the previous week, and 2°.6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.75 inch.

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Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 14th June 1924 the births of 1145 living children, the deaths of 627 persons, and 655 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 611. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24.9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 14.3, and the death-rate corrected 13.3.

The birth-rate for the week is 0.8 above that for the previous week and 1.4 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but is 1.4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 4.4 above that for the previous week, 9.2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 4.4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 0.3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1.0 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 20.5 in Greenock, 19.9 in Kilmarnock, and 17.3 in Dundee, to 3.8 in Dunfermline, 6.4 in Hamilton, and 8.4 in Paisley. In Aberdeen it was 16.0, in Perth 15.8, in Ayr 14.4, in Motherwell and Wishaw 14.1, in Edinburgh 13.2, in Kirkcaldy 13.0, in Glasgow 12.8, in Falkirk 12.2, in Coatbridge 9.2, and in Clydebank 8.9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 43. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.9 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 12 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, and 5 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 3 more, and from measles 2 more, but those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 9. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and 2 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 4. In each of the two weeks immediately preceding they numbered 10.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 86. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week, but 1 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 183. The former are 15 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 5 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27. They are 3 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°.0, being 4°.3 above that for the previous week, and 2°.8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.68 inch.

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No. 25. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 21st June 1924 the births of 1080 living children, the deaths of 608 persons, and 421 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 593. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23.5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9.2, and the death-rate corrected 12.9.

The birth-rate for the week is 1.4 below that for the previous week, 0.6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 5.1 below that for the previous week, 0.3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1.8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0.4 below that for the previous week, and 0.3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0.1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 14.9 in Coatbridge, 14.4 in Aberdeen, and 14.3 in Kirkcaldy, to 1.1 in Clydebank, 3.0 in Falkirk, and 9.6 in Greenock. In Kilmarnock and in Perth it was 14.2, in Glasgow 13.9, in Edinburgh 13.8, in Motherwell and Wishaw 13.4, in Ayr 11.5, in Dunfermline 11.4, in Paisley 10.9, in Dundee 10.5, and in Hamilton 10.2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 31. They are 12 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever and from whooping-cough number the same, those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 4 fewer, and from measles 7 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 3. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week, and 7 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 4, this being the same number as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 79. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and 6 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 84, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 184. The former are 1 more than in the previous week, and the latter are also 1 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 10. They are 17 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 56°.6, being 2°.6 above that for the previous week, and 1°.0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.41 inch.

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TOWNS	Estimated Population.	Deaths.	Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.	From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	From All Causes.	TOWNS.									
								Hours of Bright Sunshine.			Rainfall in Inches.			Temperature.			
						Mean.	Minimum.	Maximum.									
All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).																	
GLASGOW,	(1)	(2)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)
EDINBURGH,	1,051,000	496	175	286	23	17	280	13·9	0·7	39	75	0	1	1	1	2	47
DUNDEE,	427,500	165	86	118	8	3	113	13·8	0·6	13	48	0	2	1	2	9	2
ABERDEEN,	169,600	77	30	33	0	1	34	10·5	2·2	8	9	0	1	3	2	1	*1
PAISLEY,	159,900	66	45	47	6	3	44	14·4	0·3	9	17	0	1	0	0	0	3
GREENOCK,	86,700	36	11	19	2	1	18	10·9	0·6	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	81,700	38	19	17	2	0	15	9·6	0·0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	3
CLYDEBANK,	70,300	48	9	16	1	3	18	13·4	0·7	4	6	0	0	0	1	0	0
COATBRIDGE,	46,700	22	5	1	0	0	1	1·1	0·0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUNFERMLINE	45,500	24	2	13	0	0	13	14·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
KIRKCALDY,	41,200	17	6	11	2	0	9	11·4	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
HAMILTON,	40,200	21	5	11	0	0	11	14·3	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	2
KILMARNOCK,	36,800	11	10	9	1	2	10	14·2	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
AYR,	36,390	15	8	6	0	2	8	11·5	1·4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
FALKIRK,	34,400	14	0	2	0	0	2	3·0	0·0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
PERTH,	33,200	10	8	14	5	0	9	14·2	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	2,402,000	1080	421	608	50	35	593	12·9	0·7	84	184	0	5	3	15	4	*3
June 21, 1924,	1,145	655	627	51	35	611	13·3	0·9	83	183	0	12	3	15	8	5	*2
June 14, 1924;	2,402,000	1115	506	602	56	43	589	12·8	0·8	95	186	1	8	3	12	5	7
June 23, 1923,	2,398,600																
Total, 16 Towns.										Total, 27 Towns.				Total, 26 Towns.			
Total, 16 Towns.										Total, 27 Towns.				Total, 26 Towns.			
Total, 16 Towns.										Total, 27 Towns.				Total, 26 Towns.			

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No. 26. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 28th June 1924 the births of 1133 living children, the deaths of 561 persons, and 482 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 548. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·5, and the death-rate corrected 11·9.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·2 above that for the previous week, 0·5 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·3 above that for the previous week, 0·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 1·0 below that for the previous week, 1·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 14·7 in Greenock, 14·0 in Dunfermline, and 14·0 in Hamilton, to 5·6 in Clydebank, 5·7 in Kilmarnock, and 7·8 in Kirkcaldy. In Dundee it was 13·6, in Paisley 13·3, in Aberdeen 12·8, in Glasgow 12·6, in Perth 12·6, in Edinburgh 10·6, in Falkirk 10·6, in Coatbridge 10·3, in Ayr 10·1, and in Motherwell and Wishaw 8·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 39. They are 8 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 8 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 17 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles and from scarlet fever are each 3 more, and from whooping-cough 2 more, while those from diphtheria and the diarrhoeas of childhood number the same.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5. They are 2 more than in the previous week, but 3 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 3, which is 1 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 77. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and 8 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 77, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 168. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 16 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21. They are 11 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 56°·7, being 0°·1 above that for the previous week, and 0°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·27 inch.

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TOWNS.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.												Rainfall in Inches.															
		Temperature.						Mean.						Minimum.						Maximum.									
		Violence.						All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).						Influenza. (See Note.)						Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.									
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
Estimated Population.		1,051,000	556	199	254	24	23	253	12·6	0·9	40	65	0	3	1	10	3	1	*3	5	45	10	64·8	45·7	56·5	0·16	34·9	GLASGOW.	
EDINBURGH.		427,500	199	93	88	6	5	87	10·6	0·6	8	36	0	0	2	1	1	1	*1	0	12	5	66·0	45·0	56·5	0·04	47·7	EDINBURGH.	
DUNDEE.		169,600	76	39	44	0	0	44	13·6	0·6	7	19	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	67·7	43·7	57·0	0·25	...	DUNDEE.	
ABERDEEN.		159,900	64	41	40	5	4	39	12·8	1·3	8	11	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	4	2	67·0	44·0	56·3	0·19	30·9	ABERDEEN.		
PAISLEY.		36,700	27	11	23	1	0	22	13·3	1·2	4	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	68·9	45·1	57·2	0·26	29·6	PAISLEY.	
GREENOCK.		81,700	46	17	24	1	0	23	14·7	0·6	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	63·2	47·5	56·0	0·99	...	GREENOCK.	
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.		70,300	34	9	10	0	2	12	8·9	0·7	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.
CLYDEBANK.		46,700	15	5	5	0	0	5	5·6	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	CLYDEBANK.	
COATBRIDGE.		45,500	18	7	8	0	1	9	10·3	1·1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	COATBRIDGE.
DUNFERMLINE.		41,200	15	7	14	4	1	11	14·0	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	DUNFERMLINE.
KIRKCALDY.		40,200	14	16	7	1	0	6	7·8	1·3	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	KIRKCALDY.
HAMILTON.		41,000	20	7	12	1	0	11	14·0	1·3	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	HAMILTON.
KILMARNOCK.		36,800	18	8	3	1	2	4	5·7	1·4	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	KILMARNOCK.
AYR.		36,300	12	10	10	5	2	7	10·1	1·4	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	AYR.
FALKIRK.		34,400	12	8	9	2	0	7	10·6	1·5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	FALKIRK.
PERTH.		33,200	7	5	10	2	0	8	12·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	68·0	39·0	57·6	0·00	38·4	PERTH.	
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,		2,402,000	1133	482	561	53	40	548	11·9	0·8	77	168	0	8	6	17	4	4	*4	5	77	21	68·9	39·0	56·7	0·27	...	Total, 16 Towns.	
June 28, 1924,		2,402,000	1030	421	608	50	35	593	12·9	0·7	84	184	0	5	3	15	4	4	*3	3	79	10	71·0	41·0	56·6	0·41	...		
June 21, 1924,		2,402,000	1176	508	575	53	47	569	12·4	0·9	75	185	0	15	5	13	2	7	0	8	74	19	80·0	36·5	55·9	0·06	...		

Note:--Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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No. 27.

Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 5, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 5th July 1924 the births of 1065 living children, the deaths of 576 persons, and 574 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 561. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 12·5, and the death-rate corrected 12·2.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·5 below that for the previous week, 1·2 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 2·0 above that for the previous week, 1·2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·3 above that for the previous week, but is 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 15·8 in Ayr, 15·1 in Paisley, and 14·9 in Coatbridge, to 5·6 in Clydebank, 6·5 in Kirkcaldy, 7·6 in Dunfermline, and 7·6 in Falkirk. In Dundee it was 14·8, in Greenock 14·1, in Hamilton 14·0, in Kilmarnock 12·8, in Glasgow 12·7, in Edinburgh 11·5, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1, in Aberdeen 9·8, and in Perth 9·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 40. They are 1 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 12 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 8 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from measles are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5. They are the same as in the previous week, but 1 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 3, which is the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 86. They are 9 more than in the previous week, but 5 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 76, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 171. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 3 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·8, being 0°·9 below that for the previous week, and 5°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·23 inch.

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No. 28.

Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 12, 1924.

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In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 12th July 1924 the births of 1059 living children, the deaths of 577 persons, and 363 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 541. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·9, and the death-rate corrected 11·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·1 below that for the previous week, 0·7 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 4·6 below that for the previous week, 2·8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 5·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·4 below that for the previous week, 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 20·5 in Greenock, 14·5 in Paisley, and 14·3 in Kirkcaldy, to 7·4 in Motherwell and Wishaw, 8·0 in Coatbridge, and 8·5 in Kilmarnock. In Hamilton it was 14·0, in Dundee 13·6, in Perth 12·6, in Glasgow 12·0, in Ayr 11·5, in Falkirk 10·6, in Edinburgh 10·3, in Aberdeen 10·1, in Clydebank 10·1, and in Dunfermline, 8·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 35. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 17 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 6 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from measles are 2 fewer, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 5 fewer, and from scarlet fever 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5. They are the same as in the previous week, but 1 more than the mean of the numbers of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 1, which is 2 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 70. They are 16 fewer than in the previous week, and 11 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 73, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 181. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 10 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 35. They are 15 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 59°·5, being 3°·7 above that for the previous week, but 4°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·82 inch.

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TOWNS		Estimated Population.		Deaths.		Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Violence.		Rainfall in Inches.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.		TOWNS.		
(1)	GLASGOW,	(2)	1,051,000	(4)	511	147	(5)	255	27	14	242	12·0	0·9	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)
EDINBURGH,	.	.	427,500	180	91	96	14	2	84	10·3	0·6	8	39	0	0	2	1	12	0	38	(21)	(22)
DUNDEE,	.	.	169,600	72	28	44	2	2	44	13·6	0·6	5	13	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	(20)	(23)
ABERDEEN,	.	.	159,900	62	24	37	8	2	31	10·1	1·0	7	12	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	(19)	(18)
PAISLEY,	.	.	86,700	37	11	23	1	2	24	14·5	1·8	3	5	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	(21)	(22)
GREENOCK,	.	.	81,700	47	13	34	2	0	32	20·5	0·6	5	7	0	1	0	0	0	3	2	(20)	(21)
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	.	.	70,300	31	5	9	0	1	10	7·4	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(19)	(18)
CLYDEBANK,	.	.	46,700	18	4	4	0	5	9	10·1	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(17)	(16)
COATBRIDGE,	.	.	45,500	12	6	7	0	0	7	8·0	1·1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	(15)	(14)
DUNFERMLINE	.	.	41,200	10	5	10	3	0	7	8·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(16)	(15)
KIRKCALDY,	.	.	40,200	10	3	13	2	0	11	14·3	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	(12)	(11)
HAMILTON,	.	.	41,000	18	1	9	0	2	11	14·0	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	(10)	(9)
KILMARNOCK,	.	.	36,800	11	6	8	2	0	6	8·5	1·4	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	(8)	(7)
AYR,	.	.	36,300	7	5	10	2	0	8	11·5	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	(6)	(5)
FALKIRK,	.	.	34,400	19	3	8	1	0	7	10·6	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(4)	(3)
PERTH,	.	.	33,200	14	11	10	3	1	8	12·6	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(2)	(1)
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	(July 12, 1924, July 5, 1924, July 14, 1923,		2,402,000	1059	363	577	67	31	541	11·8	0·8	73	181	0	5	1	17	5	7	*1	5	70
	2,402,000, 2,396,600		1063	574	576	54	39	561	12·2	0·9	76	171	0	7	7	11	3	12	*2	5	35	
	2,396,600		1112	623	570	53	42	559	12·2	0·6	80	171	1	4	5	8	2	9	*2	1	28	
	16 Towns.																				Total, 16 Towns.	

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By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 29. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 19, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 19th July 1924 the births of 1044 living children, the deaths of 537 persons, and 569 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 510. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 12·4, and the death-rate corrected 11·1.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·4 below that for the previous week, 1·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 4·5 above that for the previous week, 2·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 6·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·7 below that for the previous week, 0·9 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 16·6 in Hamilton, 15·8 in Perth, and 15·7 in Paisley, to 7·2 in Ayr, 7·6 in Dunfermline, and 7·8 in Kirkcaldy. In Coatbridge it was 14·9, in Dundee 11·4, in Aberdeen 11·4, in Glasgow 11·1, in Falkirk 10·6, in Edinburgh 10·4, in Motherwell and Wishaw 10·4, in Clydebank 10·1, in Greenock 9·6, and in Kilmarnock 8·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 38. They are 3 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 6 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, and from diphtheria 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and 1 fewer than the mean of the numbers of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 5, which is 4 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 61. They are 9 fewer than in the previous week, and 17 fewer than the mean of the numbers of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 70, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 161. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 20 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 58°·9, being 0°·6 below that for the previous week, and 0°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·80 inch.

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No. 30.

Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 26, 1924.

Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 26th July 1924 the births of 1045 living children, the deaths of 586 persons, and 944 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 571. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 20·5, and the death-rate corrected 12·4.

The birth-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 0·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 8·1 above that for the previous week, 9·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 9·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 1·3 above that for the previous week, 0·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 19·5 in Coatbridge, 15·6 in Kilmarnock, and 15·2 in Falkirk, to 7·9 in Perth, 9·1 in Kirkcaldy, and 10·2 in Greenock. In Hamilton it was 12·8, in Glasgow 12·6, in Edinburgh 12·6, in Dundee 12·6, in Clydebank 12·3, in Paisley 12·1, in Ayr 11·5, in Aberdeen 11·4, in Dunfermline 11·4, and in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 33. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 4 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 3 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from measles they are 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4. They are the same as in the previous week, but 1 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 1, which is 4 fewer than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 62. They are 1 more than in the previous week, but 10 fewer than the mean of the numbers of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 70, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 165. The former are the same as in the previous week, and the latter are 4 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 56°·1, being 2°·8 below that for the previous week, and 1°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·45 inch.

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No. 31. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 2nd August 1924 the births of 1064 living children, the deaths of 543 persons, and 452 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 530. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23.2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9.8, and the death-rate corrected 11.5.

The birth-rate for the week is 0.5 above that for the previous week, 0.4 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 10.7 below that for the previous week, and 3.8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1.5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0.9 below that for the previous week, and 0.3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1.4 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 18.5 in Kilmarnock, 17.2 in Coatbridge, and 15.1 in Paisley, to 3.8 in Greenock, 3.8 in Dunfermline, and 7.9 in Perth. In Ayr it was 14.4, in Aberdeen 13.7, in Edinburgh 13.0, in Kirkcaldy 13.0, in Dundee 11.1, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11.1, in Glasgow 10.9, in Falkirk 10.6, in Hamilton 10.2, and in Clydebank 10.1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 32. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0.7 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 3 more, and from enteric fever 1 more, but those from whooping-cough number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 1. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and 3 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 1, which is the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 55. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and 9 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 64, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 179. The former are 6 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 14 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 16. They are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°.1, being 1°.0 above that for the previous week, and 0°.7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1.38 inch.

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No 32. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 9th August 1924 the births of 1040 living children, the deaths of 514 persons, and 342 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 492. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·4, and the death-rate corrected 10·7.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·6 below that for the previous week, 0·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 2·4 below that for the previous week, 6·8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·8 below that for the previous week, 1·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 15·2 in Dunfermline, 13·9 in Dundee, and 12·6 in Perth, to 4·5 in Clydebank, 4·6 in Coatbridge, and 7·0 in Greenock. In Edinburgh it was 11·9, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·9, in Kirkcaldy 11·7, in Aberdeen 10·8, in Glasgow 10·7, in Hamilton 10·2, in Falkirk 9·1, in Kilmarnock 8·5, in Paisley 7·2, and in Ayr 7·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 44. They are 12 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 1 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 12 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 20 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 11 more, from whooping-cough 4 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from measles are 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 3. They are 2 more than in the previous week, but are the same as the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 1, which is the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 57. They are 2 more than in the previous week, but 2 fewer than the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 98, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 154. The former are 34 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 25 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18. They are 2 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·0, being 0°·1 below that for the previous week, and 3°·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·31 inch.

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No. 33. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 16th August 1924 the births of 988 living children, the deaths of 528 persons, and 278 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 507. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·1, and the death-rate corrected 11·0.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·1 below that for the previous week, 1·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·3 below that for the previous week, 6·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·3 above that for the previous week, and 0·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 17·4 in Perth, 14·2 in Kilmarnock, and 14·0 in Dunfermline, to 1·3 in Kirkcaldy, 6·4 in Hamilton, and 7·8 in Aberdeen. In Dundee it was 13·6, in Motherwell and Wishaw 13·4, in Edinburgh 12·2, in Paisley 12·1, in Ayr 11·5, in Greenock 10·9, in Glasgow 10·6, in Falkirk 10·6, in Clydebank 10·1, and in Coatbridge 9·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 37. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 17 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 more, but those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer, from whooping-cough 3 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 2. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and 1 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 1, which is the same as in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 67. They are 10 more than in the previous week, and 9 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 77, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 171. The former are 21 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 17 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25. They are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·5, being 0°·5 above that for the previous week, but 0°·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·78 inch.

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No. 34. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 23, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 23rd August 1924 the births of 1004 living children, the deaths of 514 persons, and 343 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 510. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·5, and the death-rate corrected 11·1.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·4 above that for the previous week, and 0·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·4 above that for the previous week, but 0·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·1 above that for the previous week, but is the same as the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and the same as that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 19·9 in Kilmarnock, 15·4 in Dundee, and 12·8 in Aberdeen, to 5·1 in Dunfermline, 6·4 in Hamilton, and 6·7 in Clydebank. In Greenock it was 12·2, in Falkirk 12·2, in Kirkcaldy 11·7, in Perth 11·0, in Glasgow 10·9, in Paisley 10·9, in Coatbridge 10·3, in Edinburgh 10·2, in Ayr 10·1, and in Motherwell and Wishaw 8·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 41. They are 4 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 13 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, from scarlet fever 3 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, while those from measles number the same and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 2. They are the same as in the previous week, and the same as the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 2, which is 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 50. They are 17 fewer than in the previous week, and 10 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 96, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 151. The former are 19 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 20 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·3, being 3°·2 below that for the previous week, and 0°·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·27 inch.

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IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF
SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 35. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 30th August 1924 the births of 1028 living children, the deaths of 560 persons, and 295 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 536. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·4, and the death-rate corrected 11·7.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·5 above that for the previous week, 0·4 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·1 below that for the previous week, 0·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·6 above that for the previous week, 0·8 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 15·4 in Aberdeen, 14·3 in Edinburgh, and 13·6 in Dundee, to 5·6 in Clydebank, and 7·6 in Dunfermline and in Falkirk. In Ayr it was 12·9, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·9, in Greenock 11·5, in Glasgow 10·8, in Kirkcaldy 10·4, in Paisley 10·3, in Hamilton 10·2, in Kilmarnock 9·9, in Coatbridge 8·0, and in Perth 7·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 36. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 6 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, and 9 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles and from scarlet fever are each 1 more, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 3. They are 1 more than in the previous week, and 1 more than the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from encephalitis lethargica numbered 3, which is 1 more than in the previous week.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 64. They are 14 more than in the previous week, and 6 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 78, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 188. The former are 18 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 37 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·1, being 0°·8 above that for the previous week, and 2°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·61 inch.

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TOWNS.		TOWNS.																											
Deaths.	Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.		Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Deaths from All Causes.		Net Number.		Transferred In.		Transferred Out.		Number Registered.		Marriages.		Births.		Estimated Population.		TOWNS.					
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)
GLASGOW.	1,051,000	468	127	225	21	13	217	10·8	0·8	38	63	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	1	30	7	62·0	47·0	55·2	0·74	15·2	GLASGOW.		
EDINBURGH.	427,536	163	73	124	11	4	117	14·3	1·1	9	53	0	5	1	0	3	0	0	0	17	3	63·0	45·0	51·6	0·74	19·4	EDINBURGH.		
DUNDEE.	169,600	71	16	44	2	2	44	13·6	0·3	6	15	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	63·4	42·0	54·0	0·38	...	DUNDEE.		
ABERDEEN.	159,900	63	27	46	5	6	47	15·4	0·3	8	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	63·0	42·0	54·3	0·22	30·9	ABERDEEN.		
PAISLEY.	86,700	42	3	24	7	0	17	10·3	0·0	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	63·2	47·0	55·4	0·58	12·0	PAISLEY.		
GREENOCK.	81,700	28	6	19	1	0	18	11·5	1·9	2	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	66·0	47·2	55·9	0·90	...	GREENOCK.		
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	70,300	37	6	13	0	3	16	11·9	0·7	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	
CLYDEBANK.	46,700	24	0	4	0	1	5	5·6	1·1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	CLYDEBANK.
COATBRIDGE.	45,500	18	3	6	0	1	7	8·0	2·3	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	COATBRIDGE.
DUNFERMLINE.	41,200	19	2	8	2	0	6	7·6	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	DUNFERMLINE.
KIRKCALDY.	40,200	12	5	10	2	0	8	10·4	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	KIRKCALDY.
HAMILTON.	41,000	26	2	6	0	2	8	10·2	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	HAMILTON.
KILMARNOCK.	36,800	20	5	7	0	0	7	9·9	1·4	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	KILMARNOCK.
AYR.	36,300	11	6	11	3	1	9	12·9	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	AYR.
FALKIRK.	34,400	12	7	5	2	2	5	7·6	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	FALKIRK.
PERTH.	33,200	14	7	8	3	0	5	7·9	1·6	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	PERTH.
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending,	2,402,000	1028	295	560	59	35	536	11·7	0·8	78	188	0	6	6	6	11	4	9	0	3	64	18	66·0	39·0	55·1	0·61	...		
	2,402,000	1004	343	514	39	35	510	11·1	0·9	96	151	0	5	5	13	5	13	0	*3	2	50	20	69·0	42·0	54·3	1·27	...		
	2,396,600	1066	359	493	57	41	477	10·4	0·8	78	149	1	4	5	10	0	15	0	1	1	53	16	64·0	39·0	52·7	1·36	...		
																												Total, 16 Towns.	

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No. 36. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 6th September 1924 the births of 981 living children, the deaths of 548 persons, and 461 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 528. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·0, and the death-rate corrected 11·5.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·0 below that for the previous week, 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 3·6 above that for the previous week, 3·3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·2 below that for the previous week, 0·2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 16·7 in Aberdeen, 14·2 in Perth, and 8·6 in Edinburgh, to 3·9 in Kirkcaldy, 5·6 in Clydebank, and 7·6 in Dunfermline. In Hamilton and in Kilmarnock it was 12·8, in Glasgow 11·2, in Greenock 10·9, in Paisley 10·3, in Motherwell and Wishaw 9·7, in Dundee 9·6, in Coatbridge 9·2, in Falkirk 9·1, and in Ayr 8·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 32. They are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 4 more, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, and from enteric fever 1 more, but those from measles and from scarlet fever are each 3 fewer, and those from whooping-cough 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 1. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and 1 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 64. They number the same as in the previous week, but are 4 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 65, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 174. The former are 13 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 14 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25. They are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 57°·8, being 2°·7 above that for the previous week, and 4°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·16 inch.

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No. 37. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 13th September 1924 the births of 931 living children, the deaths of 584 persons, and 379 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 568. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·2, and the death-rate corrected 12·4.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·1 below that for the previous week, 1·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·8 below that for the previous week, 0·2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·9 above that for the previous week, 1·0 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 16·6 in Greenock, 15·4 in Dundee, and 14·2 in Edinburgh, to 2·8 in Kilmarnock, 6·3 in Dunfermline, and 6·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw. In Paisley it was 13·9, in Coatbridge 13·8, in Ayr 12·9, in Glasgow and in Falkirk 12·2, in Kirkcaldy 11·7, in Perth 11·0, in Aberdeen 10·8, in Clydebank 7·8, and in Hamilton 7·7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 53. They are 21 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 9 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 12 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 21 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 10 more, from measles and from whooping-cough each 6 more, and from scarlet fever 2 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, and from enteric fever 1 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5. They are 4 more than in the previous week, and 3 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 66. They are 2 more than in the previous week, and 7 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 95, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 167. The former are 30 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 7 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19. They are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 53°·4, being 4°·4 below that for the previous week, but 0°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·48 inch.

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TOWNS.		TOWNS.											
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.						Temperature.					
		Rainfall in Inches.			Mean.			Minimum.			Maximum.		
					Violence.								
		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).											
		Influenza. (See Note.)											
		Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.											
Deaths.		Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).		Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	
Death-Rate per 1000 living.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		From All Causes.		Net Number.		From All Causes.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Deaths.	
Transferred In.		Transferred Out.		Number Registered.		Marriages.		Births.		Estimated Population.		Deaths.	
(1)		(2)		(3)		(4)		(5)		(6)		(7)	
GLASGOW,		EDINBURGH,		DUNDEE,		ABERDEEN,		PAISLEY,		GREENOCK,		MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	
427,500		143		100		118		5		253		72	
169,600		59		25		51		1		10		37	
159,900		62		33		37		7		3		14	
86,700		26		8		22		1		23		13·9	
81,700		37		9		24		0		2		10	
70,300		28		9		6		0		3		9	
46,700		16		5		0		2		7		7·8	
45,500		12		1		11		0		1		12	
41,200		12		2		6		1		0		5	
40,200		10		5		9		1		1		9	
41,000		24		3		4		0		2		6	
36,800		15		3		1		0		1		2	
36,300		15		3		10		2		9		12·9	
34,400		18		8		7		0		1		8	
33,200		13		5		10		3		0		7	
931		379		584		42		568		12·4		1·2	
461		461		548		60		40		528		11·5	
1044		405		573		50		35		558		12·1	
2,402,000		2,402,000		981		981		65		174		1	
2,402,000		2,402,000		1044		1044		88		192		7	
2,396,600		2,396,600										*8	
Total, 16 Towns, Week ending,		Sept. 13, 1924, Sept. 6, 1924, Sept. 15, 1924,		19		5		5		66		67·0	
										19		38·3	
										25		53·4	
										1		1·48	
										64		70·0	
										1		40·0	
										25		57·8	
										1		0·16	
										59		27	
										1		59	
										16		52·7	
										108		1·08	

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No. 38. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 20th September 1924 the births of 990 living children, the deaths of 563 persons, and 324 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 539. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·1, and the death-rate corrected 11·7.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·2 above that for the previous week, 0·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·1 below that for the previous week, 1·1 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 3·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·7 below that for the previous week, 0·2 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 18·2 in Falkirk, 16·0 in Dundee, and 15·6 in Kilmarnock, to 7·2 in Ayr, 7·8 in Clydebank, and 9·2 in Coatbridge. In Edinburgh it was 13·2, in Perth 12·6, in Aberdeen 12·1, in Paisley 11·5, in Dunfermline 11·4, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1, in Greenock 10·9, in Glasgow 10·7, in Kirkcaldy 10·4, and in Hamilton 10·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 44. They are 9 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 8 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 19 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, while those from diphtheria number the same, and those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 2 fewer, from whooping-cough 4 fewer, and from measles 6 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, but 1 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 77. They are 11 more than in the previous week, and 12 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 76, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 180. The former are 19 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 13 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22. They are 3 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 53°·3, being 0°·1 below that for the previous week, but 4°·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·12 inch.

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No. 39. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 27th September 1924 the births of 1111 living children, the deaths of 604 persons, and 459 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 586. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 24·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·0, and the death-rate corrected 12·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 2·7 above that for the previous week, 3·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 2·9 above that for the previous week, 1·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·5 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 1·1 above that for the previous week, 0·9 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 20·5 in Perth, 17·0 in Kilmarnock, and 16·9 in Kirkcaldy, to 4·5 in Clydebank, 6·3 in Dunfermline, 8·9 in Motherwell and Wishaw, and 8·9 in Hamilton. In Greenock it was 15·4, in Dundee 15·1, in Aberdeen 13·1, in Glasgow 12·8, in Edinburgh 12·7, in Paisley 12·7, in Coatbridge 12·6, in Falkirk 10·6, and in Ayr 10·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 43. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 15 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, and from measles 2 more, but those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 3. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, but the same as the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 75. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week, but 6 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 91, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 186. The former are 15 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 6 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27. They are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·2, being 5°·1 below that for the previous week, and 4°·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·88 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.											
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.						Temperature.					
		Rainfall in Inches.						Mean.					
		Minimum.						Maximum.					
		Violence.											
		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).						(21)			(22)		
		Influenza. (See Note.)						(20)			(23)		
		Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.						(19)			(24)		
		Principal Epidemic Diseases.						(18)			(25)		
		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).						(17)			(26)		
		Diphtheria.						(16)			(27)		
		Whooping-cough.						(15)			(28)		
		Scarlet Fever.						(14)			GLASGOW.		
		Measles.						(13)			EDINBURGH.		
		Enteric Fever.						(12)			DUNDEE.		
		Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.						(11)			ABERDEEN.		
		Infants under One Year of Age.						(10)			PAISLEY.		
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.						(9)			GREENOCK.		
		From All Causes.						(8)			MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.		
		Net Number.						(7)			CLYDEBANK.		
		Transferred In.						(6)			COATBRIDGE.		
		Transferred Out.						(5)			DUNFERMLINE.		
		Number Registered.						(4)			KIRKCALDY.		
		Marriages.						(3)			HAMILTON.		
		Births.						(2)			KILMARNOCK.		
		Estimated Population.						1,061,000			AYR.		
		Deaths.						101			FALKIRK.		
		Deaths from						104			PERTH.		
		Deaths per 1000 living.						10			Total, 16 Towns.		
		Deaths of						104			Total, 16 Towns.		
		Deaths from						104			Total, 16 Towns.		
		Deaths per 1000 living.						104			Total, 16 Towns.		

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause. Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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WEEKLY RETURN

OF

BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES
IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF
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By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 40. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 4th October 1924 the births of 1021 living children, the deaths of 543 persons, and 476 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 526. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22.2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10.4, and the death-rate corrected 11.4.

The birth-rate for the week is 2.0 below that for the previous week, and 2.7 below that for the corresponding week of last year, but is 0.2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The marriage-rate for the week is 0.4 above that for the previous week, and 1.5 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but is 0.1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 1.4 below that for the previous week, and 0.9 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but is 0.2 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 15.8 in Perth, 14.0 in Hamilton, and 13.9 in Dundee, to 3.8 in Dunfermline, 5.6 in Clydebank, and 6.1 in Falkirk. In Edinburgh it was 12.8, in Glasgow 11.8, in Paisley 10.9, in Aberdeen 10.5, in Kirkcaldy 10.4, in Coatbridge 10.3, in Ayr 10.1, in Kilmarnock 9.9, in Motherwell and Wishaw 8.9, and in Greenock 7.7.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 49. They are 6 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.1 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 8 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, and 19 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 4 more, from diphtheria 3 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, while those from whooping-cough number the same, and those from measles are 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 8. They are 5 more than in the previous week, and 4 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 74. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, but 1 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 162. The former are 8 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 24 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19. They are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 52°.0, being 3°.8 above that for the previous week, and 2°.4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1.14 inch.

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WEEKLY RETURN

OF

BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES
IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF
SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 41. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 11th October 1924 the births of 1080 living children, the deaths of 586 persons, and 347 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 564. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·6, and the death-rate corrected 12·3.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·3 above that for the previous week, 0·9 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 2·8 below that for the previous week, 2·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·9 above that for the previous week, 0·3 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 18·5 in Kilmarnock, 17·2 in Coatbridge, and 15·4 in Aberdeen, to 5·1 in Hamilton, 6·1 in Falkirk, and 7·8 in Kirkcaldy. In Perth it was 14·2, in Dundee 13·3, in Glasgow 12·6, in Motherwell and Wishaw 12·6, in Paisley 12·1, in Greenock 12·0, in Edinburgh 11·3, in Ayr 10·1, in Clydebank 8·9, and in Dunfermline 8·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 36. They are 13 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 4 more, and from enteric fever 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 3 fewer, from whooping-cough 3 fewer, from diphtheria 4 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 8 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 7. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, but 2 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 75. They are 1 more than in the previous week, but the same as the mean of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 85, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 193. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 31 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31. They are 12 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 48°·3, being 3°·7 below that for the previous week, but 0°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·65 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 11, 1924.

TOWNS.		TOWNS.									
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.					Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.				
		Rainfall in Inches.		Mean.		Temperature.		Deaths from			
		Violence.					Principal Epidemic Diseases.				
		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		(1) GLASGOW		(2) EDINBURGH		(3) DUNDEE		(4) ABERDEEN	
		Influenza. (See Note.)		(5) PAISLEY		(6) GREENOCK		(7) MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW		(8) CLYDEBANK	
		Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.		(9) COATBRIDGE		(10) DUNFERMLINE		(11) KIRKCALDY		(12) HAMILTON	
		Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).		(12) AYR		(13) KILMARNOCK		(14) FALKIRK		(15) PERTH	
		Diphtheria.		(13) PAISLEY		(14) EDINBURGH		(15) GLASGOW.		(16) DUNDEE	
		Whooping-cough.		(14) GREENOCK		(15) ABERDEEN		(16) MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW		(17) COATBRIDGE.	
		Scarlet Fever.		(15) CLYDEBANK		(16) DUNFERMLINE		(17) KIRKCALDY		(18) HAMILTON	
		Measles.		(16) PAISLEY		(17) KILMARNOCK		(18) FALKIRK		(19) PERTH.	
		Enteric Fever.		(17) GREENOCK		(18) AYR		(19) MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW		(20) CLYDEBANK.	
		Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		(18) COATBRIDGE.		(19) DUNFERMLINE		(20) KIRKCALDY		(21) HAMILTON	
		Infants under One Year of Age.		(19) PAISLEY		(20) KILMARNOCK		(21) FALKIRK.		(22) PERTH.	
		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		(20) GREENOCK		(21) AYR		(22) MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW		(23) CLYDEBANK.	
		From All Causes.		(21) COATBRIDGE.		(22) DUNFERMLINE		(23) KIRKCALDY		(24) HAMILTON	
		Net Number.		(22) PAISLEY		(23) KILMARNOCK		(24) FALKIRK.		(25) PERTH.	
		Transferred In.		(23) GREENOCK		(24) AYR		(25) MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW		(26) CLYDEBANK.	
		Transferred Out.		(24) COATBRIDGE.		(25) DUNFERMLINE		(26) KIRKCALDY		(27) HAMILTON	
		Number Registered.		(25) PAISLEY		(26) KILMARNOCK		(27) FALKIRK.		(28) PERTH.	
		Marriages.		(26) GREENOCK		(27) AYR		(28) MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW		Total, 16 Towns.	
		Births.		(27) COATBRIDGE.		(28) DUNFERMLINE		(29) KIRKCALDY		Total, 16 Towns.	
		Estimated Population.		(28) PAISLEY		(29) KILMARNOCK		(30) FALKIRK.		Total, 16 Towns.	
		(1) GLASGOW		(2) EDINBURGH		(3) DUNDEE		(4) ABERDEEN		(5) PAISLEY	
		1,051,000		427,500		167		105		22	
		503		73		113		113		126	
		144		254		23		42		74	
		253		105		15		2		0	
		92		113		10		14		1	
		113		9		6		0		0	
		126		113		3		9		2	
		0·5		0·5		0·5		0·5		0·5	
		(2) GLASGOW		(1) EDINBURGH		(3) DUNDEE		(4) ABERDEEN		(5) PAISLEY	
		1,051,000		427,500		167		105		22	
		503		73		113		113		126	
		144		254		23		42		74	
		253		105		15		2		0	
		92		113		10		14		1	
		113		9		6		0		0	
		126		113		3		9		2	
		0·5		0·5		0·5		0·5		0·5	
		(2) GLASGOW		(1) EDINBURGH		(3) DUNDEE		(4) ABERDEEN		(5) PAISLEY	
		1,051,000		427,500		167		105		22	
		503		73		113		113		126	
		144		254		23		42		74	
		253		105		15		2		0	
		92		113		10		14		1	
		113		9		6		0		0	
		126		113		3		9		2	
		0·5		0·5		0·5		0·5		0·5	
		(2) GLASGOW		(1) EDINBURGH		(3) DUNDEE		(4) ABERDEEN		(5) PAISLEY	
		1,051,000		427,500		167		105		22	
		503		73		113		113		126	
		144		254		23		42		74	
		253		105		15		2		0	
		92		113		10					

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WEEKLY RETURN

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES
IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF
SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 42. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 18th October 1924 the births of 1055 living children, the deaths of 604 persons, and 276 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 590. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·0, and the death-rate corrected 12·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·5 below that for the previous week, 0·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·6 below that for the previous week, 3·3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·5 above that for the previous week, 0·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 18·5 in Kilmarnock, 16·0 in Greenock, 13·8 in Edinburgh, and 13·8 in Coatbridge, to 6·3 in Dunfermline, 6·3 in Perth, and 7·8 in Clydebank. In Dundee it was 14·2, in Aberdeen 13·4, in Glasgow 13·1, in Ayr 12·9, in Falkirk 12·2, in Motherwell and Wishaw 10·4, in Kirkcaldy 9·1, in Paisley 9·0, and in Hamilton 8·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 34. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 13 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 2 more, but those from measles and diphtheria number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 1 fewer, and from scarlet fever 2 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 4. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and 2 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 90. They are 15 more than in the previous week, and 15 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 81, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 189. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 4 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·1, being 0°·8 above that for the previous week, and 1°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·55 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 18, 1924.

TOWNS.		Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases.												TOWNS.						
Deaths.	Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.				Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.				Deaths from From Principal Epidemic Diseases.				Deaths from From All Causes.				Deaths.		
		Transferred In.		Transferred Out.		Net Number.		Number Registered.		Marriages.		Births.		Estimated Population.		TOWNS.				
(1)	(2)	1,061,000	467	125	282	29	6	7	11	264	13·1	0·7	(9)	(8)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)		
GLASGOW,	.	427,500	158	57	120	14	7	113	13·8	0·9	13	45	0	0	31	76	0	(10)		
EDINBURGH,	.	169,600	78	10	44	2	4	46	14·2	2·2	9	17	0	1	0	0	2	(11)		
DUNDEE,	.	159,900	75	28	38	6	9	41	13·4	0·3	6	18	0	0	1	1	0	(12)		
ABERDEEN,	.	86,700	46	4	16	1	0	15	9·0	0·0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	(13)		
PAISLEY,	.	81,700	45	9	24	1	2	25	16·0	0·6	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	(14)		
GREENOCK,	.																	(15)		
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	.																		(16)	
CLYDEBANK,	.																		(17)	
COATBRIDGE,	.																		(18)	
DUNFERMLINE,	.																		(19)	
KIRKCALDY,	.																		(20)	
HAMILTON,	.																		(21)	
KILMARNOCK,	.																		(22)	
AYR,	.																		(23)	
FALKIRK,	.																		(24)	
PERTH,	.																		(25)	
Total, 16 Towns, Oct. 18, 1924,		2,402,000	1055	276	604	64	50	590	12·8	0·7	81	189	0	7	3	9	2	13	0	90
16 Towns, Oct. 11, 1924,		2,402,000	1080	347	686	63	41	564	12·3	0·8	85	193	1	7	5	10	2	11	*1	75
Week ending, Oct. 20, 1923,		2,396,600	1153	319	569	68	37	538	11·7	0·7	70	135	0	13	4	5	3	8	0	58
																		Total, 16 Towns.		

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No. 43 Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 25th October 1924 the births of 1046 living children, the deaths of 641 persons, and 281 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 605. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·1, and the death-rate corrected 13·2.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·2 below that for the previous week, 0·1 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·1 above that for the previous week, but 1·9 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·4 above that for the previous week, 1·0 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 17·0 in Aberdeen, 15·9 in Edinburgh, and 14·9 in Coatbridge, to 6·7 in Clydebank, 9·1 in Kirkcaldy, and 9·5 in Perth. In Dundee it was 14·8, in Greenock 14·7, in Kilmarnock 14·2, in Hamilton 14·0, in Paisley 13·3, in Dunfermline 12·7, in Glasgow 11·9, in Falkirk 10·6, in Motherwell and Wishaw 10·4, and in Ayr 10·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 39. They are 5 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 4 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, and 13 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 6 more, and from scarlet fever 3 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood number the same, while those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, and from measles 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 5. They are 1 more than in the previous week, but 1 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 90. They are the same as in the previous week, but 10 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 85, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 191. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 2 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32. They are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 45°·4, being 3°·7 below that for the previous week, and 1°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·19 inch.

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By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 44. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 1st November 1924 the births of 946 living children, the deaths of 600 persons, and 310 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 564. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·7, and the death-rate corrected 12·3.

The birth-rate for the week is 2·2 below that for the previous week, 2·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·6 above that for the previous week, 0·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·9 below that for the previous week, and 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but is the same as that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 20·5 in Perth, 18·5 in Kilmarnock, and 16·5 in Dunfermline, to 7·8 in Clydebank, 9·1 in Kirkcaldy, and 9·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw. In Dundee it was 14·8, in Hamilton 14·0, in Aberdeen 13·4, in Greenock 13·4, in Ayr 12·9, in Coatbridge 12·6, in Falkirk 12·2, in Edinburgh 11·9, in Glasgow 11·6, and in Paisley 11·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 42. They are 3 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 8 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from measles are 1 fewer, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 fewer, and from diphtheria 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 8. They are 3 more than in the previous week, and 3 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 85. They are 5 fewer than in the previous week, but are the same as the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 89, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 188. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 3 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24. They are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°·3, being 1°·9 above that for the previous week, but 1°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·47 inch.

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OF

BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES
IN THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS OF
SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 45. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 8th November 1924 the births of 988 living children, the deaths of 677 persons, and 387 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 654. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·4, and the death-rate corrected 14·2.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·9 above that for the previous week, 0·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·7 above that for the previous week, 2·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 1·9 above that for the previous week, 1·4 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 23·0 in Coatbridge, 19·7 in Dundee, and 15·8 in Ayr, to 6·4 in Hamilton, 7·1 in Kilmarnock, and 7·8 in Kirkcaldy. In Motherwell and Wishaw it was 14·9, in Greenock 14·7, in Glasgow 14·6, in Aberdeen 14·4, in Falkirk 13·7, in Paisley 13·3, in Edinburgh 13·2, in Dunfermline 12·7, in Perth 9·5, and in Clydebank, 8·9.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 52. They are 10 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 11 from measles, 9 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 8 more and from scarlet fever 2 more, while those from whooping-cough, diphtheria and the diarrhoeas of childhood each number the same.

Deaths from influenza numbered 13. They are 5 more than in the previous week, and 7 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 128. They are 43 more than in the previous week, and 40 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 93, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 213. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 25 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24. They are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·7, being 4°·6 below that for the previous week, but 4°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·15 inch.

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TOWNS.		TOWNS.												TOWNS.																
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.						Rainfall in Inches.						Temperature.						Principal Epidemic Diseases.			All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).			Influenza. (See Note.)				
		Violence.			Mean.			Minimum.			Maximum.			Principal Epidemic Diseases.			All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).			Influenza. (See Note.)			Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.							
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	
GLASGOW,		1,051,000	460	211	297	17	13	293	14·6	0·8	43	96	0	0	1	6	3	6	*1	3	66	11	53·0	31·8	42·3	0·10	13·9	GLASGOW.		
EDINBURGH,		427,500	133	65	123	15	0	108	13·2	1·2	9	34	0	2	3	2	2	1	0	2	18	6	53·0	32·0	43·2	0·28	18·5	EDINBURGH.		
DUNDEE,		169,600	69	20	64	2	2	64	19·7	4·0	10	19	0	8	3	0	2	0	2	0	10	4	50·5	31·9	41·5	0·09	...	DUNDEE.		
ABERDEEN,		159,900	71	23	48	4	0	44	14·4	1·0	14	16	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	5	3	1	50·0	33·0	44·0	0·34	4·6	ABERDEEN.		
PAISLEY,		86,700	31	6	21	0	1	22	13·3	0·0	4	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	55·2	31·0	42·6	0·08	15·8	PAISLEY.		
GREENOCK,		81,700	43	6	24	1	0	23	14·7	2·6	4	5	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	52·0	34·0	43·6	0·10	...	GREENOCK.		
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,		70,300	35	6	17	0	3	20	14·9	0·0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	
CLYDEBANK,		46,700	23	10	4	0	4	8	8·9	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
COATBRIDGE,		45,500	24	5	18	0	2	20	23·0	2·3	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	...
DUNFERMLINE,		41,200	10	2	11	1	0	10	12·7	1·3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	...
KIRKCALDY,		40,200	9	3	0	3	0	6	7·8	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
HAMILTON,		41,000	23	2	4	0	1	5	6·4	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
KILMARNOCK,		36,800	13	1	7	3	1	5	7·1	1·4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
AYR,		36,300	11	4	16	6	1	11	15·8	1·4	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
FALKIRK,		34,400	16	7	11	2	0	9	13·7	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
PERTH,		33,200	17	10	9	3	0	6	9·5	1·6	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,		2,402,000	988	387	677	54	31	654	14·2	1·1	93	213	0	11	9	16	5	11	*1	13	128	24	28·0	42·7	0·15	...	Total, 16 Towns.			
		2,402,000	946	310	600	74	38	564	12·3	0·9	89	188	0	3	7	16	5	11	*1	8	85	24	57·1	37·0	47·3	1·47	...			
		2,396,600	1028	276	546	50	24	520	11·3	0·8	91	163	0	17	4	3	7	7	*2	2	68	15	48·0	26·0	38·4	0·51	...			

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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OF

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By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 46. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 15th November 1924 the births of 1088 living children, the deaths of 765 persons, and 258 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 742. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 23·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate corrected 16·2.

The birth-rate for the week is 2·2 above that for the previous week, 2·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 2·8 below that for the previous week, 1·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 2·0 above that for the previous week, 3·0 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 3·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 23·7 in Dundee, 19·3 in Paisley, and 17·4 in Perth, to 8·6 in Ayr, 8·9 in Hamilton, and 9·1 in Kirkcaldy. In Edinburgh it was 17·1, in Aberdeen 17·0, in Greenock 16·6, in Glasgow 15·8, in Dunfermline 15·2, in Coatbridge 14·9, in Clydebank 12·3, in Falkirk 12·2, in Kilmarnock 11·4, and in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 61. They are 9 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 18 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 22 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 13 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 7 more, from whooping-cough 6 more, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 2 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, and from scarlet fever 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 11. They are 2 fewer than in the previous week, but 2 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 160. They are 32 more than in the previous week, and 59 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 105, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 257. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 44 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25. They are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·7, being the same as that for the previous week, but 3°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·16 inch.

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TOWNS.		TOWNS.												
		Hours of Bright Sunshine.				Rainfall in Inches.				Temperature.				
Estimated Population.	Deaths.	Mean.		Minimum.		Maximum.		Violence.		All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		Influenza. (See Note.)		
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	
GLASGOW,	1,051,000	506	327	26	16	317	15·8	0·6	42	99	0	0	(10)	
EDINBURGH,	427,500	162	147	18	11	140	17·1	1·7	17	56	0	6	(11)	
DUNDEE,	169,600	80	19	80	5	2	77	23·7	4·6	15	29	0	(12)	
ABERDEEN,	159,900	73	16	55	3	0	52	17·0	0·3	5	18	0	(13)	
PAISLEY,	86,700	48	5	33	1	0	32	19·3	1·2	4	12	0	(14)	
GREENOCK,	81,700	34	9	28	2	0	26	16·6	4·5	4	8	0	(15)	
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	70,360	39	5	12	0	3	15	11·1	1·5	4	6	0	(16)	
CLYDEBANK	46,700	16	4	12	2	1	11	12·3	1·1	3	1	0	(17)	
COATBRIDGE,	45,500	16	3	11	0	2	13	14·9	1·1	3	2	0	(18)	
DUNFERMLINE	41,200	21	4	12	0	0	12	15·2	1·3	1	5	0	(19)	
KIRKCALDY,	40,200	17	4	4	0	3	7	9·1	0·0	0	4	0	(20)	
HAMILTON,	41,060	17	1	8	2	1	7	8·9	1·3	2	2	0	(21)	
KILMARNOCK,	36,300	12	4	9	1	0	8	11·4	2·8	3	1	0	(22)	
AYR,	36,300	18	4	6	1	1	6	8·6	0·0	1	4	0	(23)	
FALKIRK,	34,400	20	3	10	2	0	8	12·2	1·5	1	2	0	(24)	
PERTH,	33,200	9	4	11	0	0	11	17·4	1·6	0	8	0	(25)	
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	2,402,000	1088	258	765	63	40	742	16·2	1·3	105	257	0	(26)	
	2,402,000	Nov. 15, 1924,	2,402,000	Nov. 8, 1924,	31	654	14·2	1·1	9·5	213	0	11	(27)	
	2,396,600	Nov. 17, 1923,	1030	249	619	53	35	601	13·1	1·0	209	1	81	(28)
Total, 16 Towns.												16 Towns.		

Note :--Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 included deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.
* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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No. 47. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 22nd November 1924 the births of 1011 living children, the deaths of 808 persons, and 243 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 777. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 22·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·3, and the death-rate corrected 16·9.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·7 below that for the previous week, and 0·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year, but 0·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·3 below that for the previous week, and 1·6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·7 above that for the previous week, 2·7 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 28·4 in Perth, 26·0 in Kirkcaldy, and 22·8 in Dunfermline, to 6·1 in Falkirk, 9·9 in Kilmarnock, and 11·5 in Paisley and in Hamilton. In Dundee it was 18·8, in Edinburgh 18·0, in Glasgow 16·9, in Aberdeen 16·7, in Greenock 16·0, in Ayr 15·8, in Clydebank 15·7, in Motherwell and Wishaw 15·6, and in Coatbridge 13·8.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 62. They are 1 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 16 from measles, 9 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 10 from diphtheria, and 12 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 7 more, and from scarlet fever 4 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 1 fewer, from measles 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 7 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 22. They are 11 more than in the previous week, and 11 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 185. They are 25 more than in the previous week, and 61 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 126, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 239. The former are 21 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 18 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·5, being 1°·8 above that for the previous week, and 8°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·56 inch.

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TOWNS.		Estimated Population.	Deaths.	Death-Rate per 1000 living.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.	From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Principal Epidemic Diseases.						Violence.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Influenza. (See Note.)	Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	Mean.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	TOWNS.	Temperature.						
Net Number.	Transferred In.							Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).	Diphtheria.	Whooping-cough.	Scarlet Fever.	Measles.	Enteric Fever.																	
(1)	(2)	1,051,000	465	105	348	24	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)			
GLASGOW.	.	427,500	151	58	166	23	4	147	18·0	2·0	340	16·8	0·8	56	86	0	0	5	0	3	96	8	51·6	32·0	44·7	0·72	5·8	GLASGOW.		
EDINBURGH.	.	169,600	68	23	63	4	2	61	18·8	4·0	10	16	0	10	1	1	1	0	0	0	9	30	5	52·0	33·0	44·1	0·21	4·9	EDINBURGH	
DUNDEE.	.	159,900	70	18	56	5	0	51	16·7	1·6	11	20	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	4	8	2	53·2	29·0	43·0	0·12	...	DUNDEE.		
ABERDEEN.	.	86,700	42	7	22	3	0	19	11·5	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1	51·5	28·8	45·3	1·02	6·3	ABERDEEN.		
PAISLEY.	.	81,700	42	3	26	1	0	25	16·0	1·3	8	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	0	51·8	38·1	46·3	1·71	...	PAISLEY.		
GREENOCK.	.	70,300	31	3	17	0	4	21	15·6	0·7	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	GREENOCK.
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	.	46,700	19	1	11	0	3	14	15·7	1·1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	
CLYDEBANK.	.	45,500	20	2	9	0	3	12	13·8	2·3	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	CLYDEBANK.	
COATBRIDGE.	.	41,200	15	7	16	1	3	18	22·8	1·3	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	...	COATBRIDGE.	
DUNFERMLINE.	.	40,200	17	2	19	2	3	20	26·0	0·0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	...	DUNFERMLINE.	
KIRKCALDY.	.	41,000	16	3	8	0	1	9	11·5	1·3	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	KIRKCALDY.	
HAMILTON.	.	36,800	16	3	8	1	0	7	9·9	2·8	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	HAMILTON.	
KILMARNOCK.	.	36,300	16	0	11	2	2	11	15·8	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	KILMARNOCK.	
AYR.	.	34,400	18	2	8	4	0	4	6·1	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	AYR.	
FALKIRK.	.	33,200	5	6	20	3	1	18	28·4	1·6	1	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	FALKIRK.	
PERTH.	.	2,402,000	1011	243	808	73	42	777	16·9	1·3	126	239	0	16	9	15	10	12	0	22	185	24	55·0	27·0	44·5	0·56	...	PERTH.		
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	Nov. 22, 1924, Nov. 15, 1924, Nov. 24, 1923,	2,402,000	2,396,600	1030	227	670	53	63	40	742	16·2	1·3	105	257	0	18	5	22	3	13	0	11	160	25	52·9	24·0	42·7	0·16	...	Total, 16 Towns.

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OF

BIRTHS, DEATHS, & MARRIAGES
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SCOTLAND.

By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 48. Week ending SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29. 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 29th November 1924 the births of 994 living children, the deaths of 796 persons, and 270 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 762. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·9, and the death-rate corrected 16·6.

The birth-rate for the week is 0·4 below that for the previous week, 0·8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 0·6 above that for the previous week, but 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and the same as that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·3 below that for the previous week, but 0·8 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 22·5 in Dundee, 19·3 in Aberdeen, and 19·1 in Hamilton, to 7·2 in Ayr, 7·6 in Dunfermline, and 9·9 in Kilmarnock. In Edinburgh it was 18·6, in Falkirk 18·2, in Greenock 16·6, in Glasgow 16·2, in Coatbridge 16·1, in Paisley 14·5, in Kirkcaldy 14·3, in Perth 12·6, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1, and in Clydebank 10·1.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 61. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 14 from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 22 from whooping-cough, 11 from diphtheria, and 8 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 7 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from measles are 2 fewer, from scarlet fever 3 fewer, and from the diarrhoeas of childhood 4 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 27. They are 5 more than in the previous week, and 12 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 196. They are 11 more than in the previous week, and 38 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 138, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 252. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 13 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29. They are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 46°·4, being 1°·9 above that for the previous week, and 10°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·32 inch.

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By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 49. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 6th December 1924 the births of 937 living children, the deaths of 745 persons, and 330 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 727. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·2, and the death-rate corrected 15·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·2 below that for the previous week, 2·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 2·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1·3 above that for the previous week, 1·6 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·8 below that for the previous week, 0·8 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 20·7 in Dundee, 19·6 in Edinburgh, and 17·7 in Aberdeen, to 7·6 in Dunfermline, 9·9 in Kilmarnock, and 10·1 in Clydebank. In Hamilton it was 15·3, in Glasgow 15·2, in Falkirk 15·2, in Greenock 14·7, in Motherwell and Wishaw 13·4, in Paisley 12·7, in Perth 12·6, in Kirkcaldy 11·7, in Coatbridge 11·5, and in Ayr 11·5.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 77. They are 16 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 16 from measles, 9 from scarlet fever, 36 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, and 7 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 14 more, from scarlet fever 3 more, from measles 2 more, and from enteric fever 1 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 1 fewer, and from diphtheria 3 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 24. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week, but 4 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 156. They are 40 fewer than in the previous week, and 24 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 126, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 213. The former are 12 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 39 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22. They are 7 fewer than in the previous week. •

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 45°·1, being 1°·3 below that for the previous week, but 8°·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·06 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6, 1924.

TOWNS.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.												Temperature.											
		Rainfall in Inches.						Mean.						Minimum.						Maximum.					
(1)																									
GLASGOW,																									
EDINBURGH,																									
DUNDEE,																									
ABERDEEN,																									
PAISLEY,																									
GREENOCK,																									
MOTHERWELL, AND WISHAW,																									
CLYDEBANK,																									
COATBRIDGE,																									
DUNFERMLINE,																									
KIRKCALDY,																									
HAMILTON,																									
KILMARNOCK,																									
AYR,																									
FALKIRK,																									
PERTH,																									
Total,																									
16 Towns,																									
Week ending,																									

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Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.
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No. 50. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 13th December 1924 the births of 1001 living children, the deaths of 753 persons, and 266 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 727. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21.8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5.8, and the death-rate corrected 15.8.

The birth-rate for the week is 1.4 above that for the previous week, and 0.5 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 1.1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 1.4 below that for the previous week, 0.3 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 0.6 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.1 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 22.5 in Dundee, 21.7 in Hamilton, and 17.0 in Kilmarnock, to 10.4 in Kirkcaldy, 13.7 in Falkirk, and 14.1 in Greenock. In Clydebank it was 16.8, in Dunfermline 16.5, in Ayr 15.8, in Aberdeen 15.7, in Paisley 15.7, in Motherwell and Wishaw 15.6, in Glasgow 15.3, in Edinburgh 15.0, in Coatbridge 14.9, and in Perth 14.2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 83. They are 6 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.8 per thousand. These deaths include 2 from enteric fever, 18 from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, 42 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 11 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 6 more, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 4 more, from measles 2 more, and from enteric fever 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 2 fewer, and from diphtheria 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 28. They are 4 more than in the previous week, and 4 more than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 172. They are 16 more than in the previous week, but 7 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 142, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 227. The former are 16 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 14 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 39. They are 17 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°.3, being 2°.2 above that for the previous week, and 5°.0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0.86 inch.

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By Authority of the Registrar-General.

No. 51. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 20th December 1924 the births of 933 living children, the deaths of 770 persons, and 266 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 745. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·8, and the death-rate corrected 16·2.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·5 below that for the previous week, 1·0 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 4·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is the same as that for the previous week, 0·5 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·2 above that for the previous week, 0·1 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 1·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 23·1 in Dundee, 19·5 in Coatbridge, and 19·2 in Greenock, to 6·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw, 10·2 in Hamilton, and 11·2 in Clydebank. In Perth it was 18·9, in Edinburgh 18·3, in Paisley 17·5, in Ayr 17·3, in Glasgow 15·8, in Falkirk 13·7, in Kirkcaldy 13·0, in Aberdeen 11·8, in Dunfermline 11·4, and in Clydebank 11·2.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 84. They are 1 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. These deaths include none from enteric fever, 23 from measles, 9 from scarlet fever, 37 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 10 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 5 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from diphtheria 2 more, but those from the diarrhoeas of childhood are 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 5 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 24. They are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and 2 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 138. They are 34 fewer than in the previous week, and 37 fewer than the mean of those of the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 122, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 242. The former are 20 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23. They are 16 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·7, being 2°·6 below that for the previous week, but 4°·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·41 inch.

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No. 52. Week ending SATURDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1924. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 27th December 1924 the births of 870 living children, the deaths of 755 persons, and 468 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 724. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·2, and the death-rate corrected 15·8.

The birth-rate for the week is 1·4 below that for the previous week, 1·9 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 3·2 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 4·4 above that for the previous week, 3·9 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 2·7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 0·4 below that for the previous week, 0·2 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 26·2 in Dundee, 18·5 in Kilmarnock, and 17·1 in Glasgow, to 5·8 in Ayr, 8·9 in Hamilton, and 10·4 in Kirkcaldy. In Coatbridge it was 16·1, in Aberdeen 15·4, in Perth 14·2, in Edinburgh 13·9, in Paisley 13·3, in Dunfermline 11·4, in Clydebank 11·2, in Motherwell and Wishaw 11·1, in Greenock 10·9, and in Falkirk 10·6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 85. They are 1 more than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 28 from measles (21 of which occurred in Dundee), 2 from scarlet fever, 34 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 13 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from measles are 5 more, from the diarrhoeas of childhood 3 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from enteric fever 1 more, while those from whooping-cough are 3 fewer, and those from scarlet fever 7 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 23. They are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and 2 fewer than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 161. They are 23 more than in the previous week, and 6 more than the mean of the numbers for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 141, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 188. The former are 19 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 54 fewer than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·3, being 0°·4 below that for the previous week, but 12°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2·31 inches

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TOWNS	Estimated Population.	Births.	Marriages.	Number Registered.	Transferred Out.	Transferred In.	Net Number.	From All Causes.	Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Infants under One Year of Age.	Enteric Fever.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Diarrhoea (under 2 years of age).	Principal Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Influenza. (See Note.)	Small-pox, Typhus, and Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	Violence.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	Deaths from	Deaths of	Death-Rate per 1000 living.	TOWNS.		
GLASGOW,	1,051,000	399	180	25	8	343	17.1	1.1	62	93	1	0	1	10	3	7	*2	11	86	11	54.0	37.8	(24)	(23)	(22)	(21)	(20)	(29)	
EDINBURGH,	427,500	146	86	127	13	0	114	13.9	1.1	35	0	5	0	3	0	1	0	5	19	2	54.0	31.0	44.4	1.10	13.2	EDINBURGH.	DUNDEE.		
DUNDEE,	169,600	57	39	88	3	0	85	26.2	8.9	18	14	0	21	0	3	3	2	0	0	20	2	51.7	33.6	42.6	1.71	... ... ...	MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW.	CLYDEBANK.	
ABERDEEN,	159,900	57	48	47	3	3	47	15.4	2.9	12	8	0	2	0	6	0	1	0	2	9	1	52.0	33.0	44.0	1.44	8.5	ABERDEEN.		
PAISLEY,	86,700	23	12	22	0	0	22	13.3	0.6	5	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	6	0	53.8	37.0	44.9	3.14	9.2	PAISLEY.			
GREENOCK,	81,700	36	18	18	1	0	17	10.9	2.6	3	6	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	4	1	54.1	37.5	45.2	4.08	...	GREENOCK.			
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	70,300	19	16	12	0	3	15	11.1	2.2	1	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CLYDEBANK,	46,700	17	5	8	0	2	10	11.2	2.2	5	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
COATBRIDGE,	45,500	10	5	14	0	0	14	16.1	2.3	4	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUNFERMLINE,	41,200	17	9	12	3	0	9	11.4	1.3	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KIRKCALDY,	40,200	21	5	8	1	1	8	10.4	0.0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HAMILTON,	41,000	15	7	6	0	1	7	8.9	0.0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KILMARNOCK,	36,800	17	15	11	1	3	13	18.5	1.4	5	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AYR,	36,300	13	10	5	1	0	4	5.8	0.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FALKIRK,	34,400	16	5	8	1	0	7	10.6	0.0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PERTH,	33,200	7	8	9	0	0	9	14.2	3.2	2	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,	2,402,000	870	468	755	52	21	724	15.8	1.9	141	188	1	28	2	34	7	13	*2	23	161	20	54.1	31.0	44.3	2.31	...			
Dec. 27, 1924,	2,402,000	933	266	770	62	37	745	16.2	1.8	122	242	0	23	9	37	5	10	*1	24	138	23	55.0	28.0	44.7	0.41	...			
Dec. 20, 1924,	2,396,600	1018	595	764	67	42	739	16.1	1.9	115	234	0	45	6	14	13	8	0	7	149	32	43.0	12.0	32.3	0.86	...			
Dec. 29, 1923,																													16 Total, 16 Towns.

Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.
* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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No. 53. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1925. Price 2d. net.

In the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated population of 2,402,000, there were registered during the week ending 3rd January 1925 the births of 912 living children, the deaths of 807 persons, and 1356 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 781. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19.9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 29.5, and the death-rate corrected 17.0.

The birth-rate for the week is 1.0 above that for the previous week, 0.4 below the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 3.9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The marriage-rate for the week is 19.3 above that for the previous week, 22.2 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, but 0.8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The death-rate for the week is 1.2 above that for the previous week, 1.0 above the mean of the rates for the three preceding weeks, and 0.1 above that for the corresponding week of last year.

In the individual towns the death-rate ranged from 23.7 in Perth, 21.3 in Dundee, and 18.1 in Glasgow, to 10.2 in Dunfermline, and 11.5 in Paisley, in Greenock and in Hamilton. In Edinburgh it was 18.0, in Clydebank 16.8, in Motherwell and Wishaw 15.6, in Kirkcaldy 15.6, in Kilmarnock 15.6, in Falkirk 15.2, in Aberdeen 14.4, in Ayr 12.9, and in Coatbridge 12.6.

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 18 of the Table, numbered 74. They are 11 fewer than in the previous week, and are equal to an annual death-rate from these causes of 1.6 per thousand. These deaths include 1 from enteric fever, 19 from measles, 8 from scarlet fever, 35 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, and 4 from the diarrhoeas of childhood. Compared with the returns for the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 6 more, and from whooping-cough 1 more, while those from enteric fever and from diphtheria number the same, and those from measles and from the diarrhoeas of childhood are each 9 fewer.

Deaths from influenza numbered 20. They are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and 5 fewer than the mean of those for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 171. They are 10 more than in the previous week, and 14 more than the mean of those for the three preceding weeks.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 140, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 242. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 54 more than in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 31. They are 11 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 38°.8, being 5°.5 below that for the previous week, and 0°.7 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2.46 inches.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 3, 1925.

TOWNS.		Deaths.		Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.		Deaths from Infants under One Year of Age.		From Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Principal Epidemic Diseases.		Deaths from All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).		Violence.		Mean.		Temperature.		Hours of Bright Sunshine.		Rainfall in Inches.		TOWNS.			
(1)		(2)		(3)		(4)		(5)		(6)		(7)		(8)		(9)		(10)		(11)		(12)		(13)		(14)	
GLASGOW,		1,051,000		430		607		375		23		11		363		18·1		1·4		76		97		1·1			
EDINBURGH,		427,500		147		229		158		11		0		147		18·0		1·3		57		0		6			
DUNDEE,		169,600		66		98		69		0		0		69		21·3		5·5		11		18		0			
ABERDEEN,		159,900		42		65		48		9		5		44		14·4		0·3		10		18		0			
PAISLEY,		86,700		36		67		18		0		1		19		11·5		0·0		2		8		0			
GREENOCK,		81,700		37		35		18		1		1		18		11·5		0·0		1		7		0			
MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,		70,300		33		38		19		0		2		21		15·6		4·5		7		4		0			
CLYDEBANK,		46,700		18		30		14		0		1		15		16·8		4·5		5		3		0			
COATBRIDGE,		45,500		21		22		10		0		1		11		12·6		1·1		2		3		0			
DUNFERMLINE		41,200		9		22		9		2		1		8		10·2		0·0		0		3		0			
KIRKCALDY,		40,200		12		28		11		0		1		12		15·6		0·0		2		5		0			
HAMILTON,		41,000		17		28		8		1		2		9		11·5		1·3		1		2		0			
KILMARNOCK,		36,800		9		22		9		0		2		11		15·6		1·4		4		0		1			
AYR,		36,300		16		25		12		3		0		9		12·9		0·0		2		5		0			
FALKIRK,		34,400		12		21		11		1		0		10		15·2		0·0		1		3		0			
PERTH,		33,200		7		19		18		3		0		15		23·7		4·7		1		6		0			
Total, 16 Towns, week ending,		912,1356		807		54		28		781		17·0		1·6		140		242		1		19		8			
Dec. 27, 1924,		2,402,000		870		468		755		52		21		724		15·8		1·9		141		188		1			
Jan. 5, 1924,		2,396,600		1093		1390		800		52		30		778		16·9		1·7		120		251		0			

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Note :—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week. Numbers in Col. 20 include deaths of which Influenza was a contributory cause as well as those of which it was the sole cause.

* Cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Motherwell and Wishaw.

Clydebank.

Coatbridge.

Dunfermline.

Kirkcaldy.

Hamilton.

Kilmarnock.

Ayr.

Falkirk.

Perth.

Total, 16 Towns.